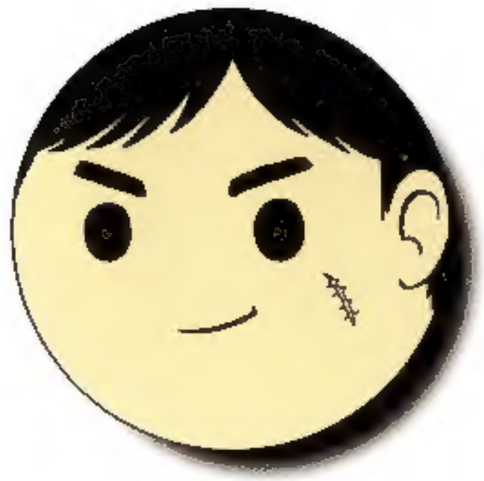

著者近影

『灼熱の太陽、焼ける鋼鉄、むせかえるオイルと硝煙のにおい。まとわりつく汗と砂ぼこり、肩にくいこむ荷物。息は切れ、骨がきしむ。

銃が重い！　いつもだったらどーってこたーない、重さすら感じなかった使いなれた銃なのに。今はたまらなく重い。いっその事、このクソ重い銃を捨てる事ができたら、どんなにこの身が楽になる事か……。だけど捨てるわけには行かないんだ。朦朧とする意識の中、確かに見たんだ。オレの命を狙う敵の姿を。死んでたまるか、死ぬのはヤツの方だ。

ちっともカッコ良くない主人公、愛とか正義じゃない。もちろんプライドとか、主義のためなんて余裕なんか彼には無い。生き残るため！
それが今の彼が戦う理由だ。無力感に涙を流し、鼻水をたらす。恐怖でズボンは、とっくにションベンまみれだ。見苦しいくらい必死に男は戦った』――なんて話を描きたいなとずいぶん前からやってるんだけど、なかなかどーして今一つ。

まっ、これからもガンバリまーす。
えっ!?　そんなの見たくないって!?
そんな事言うなよー。

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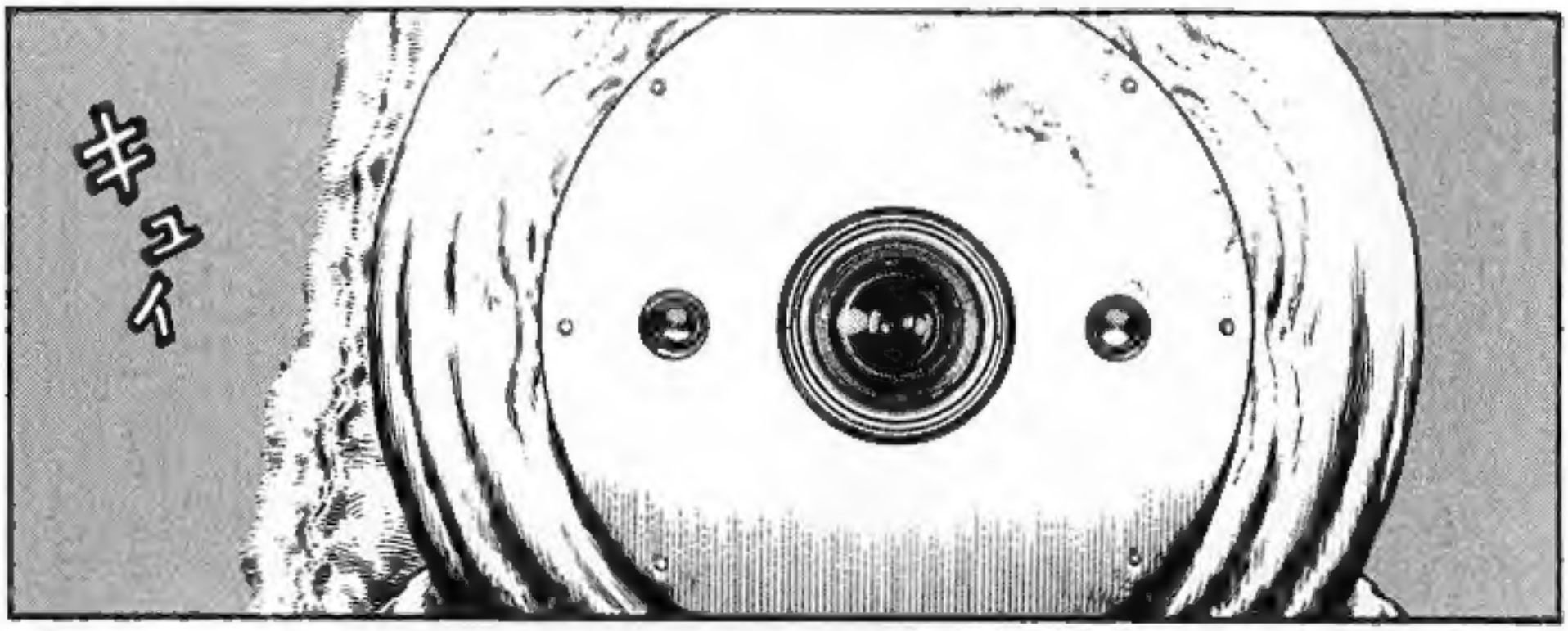
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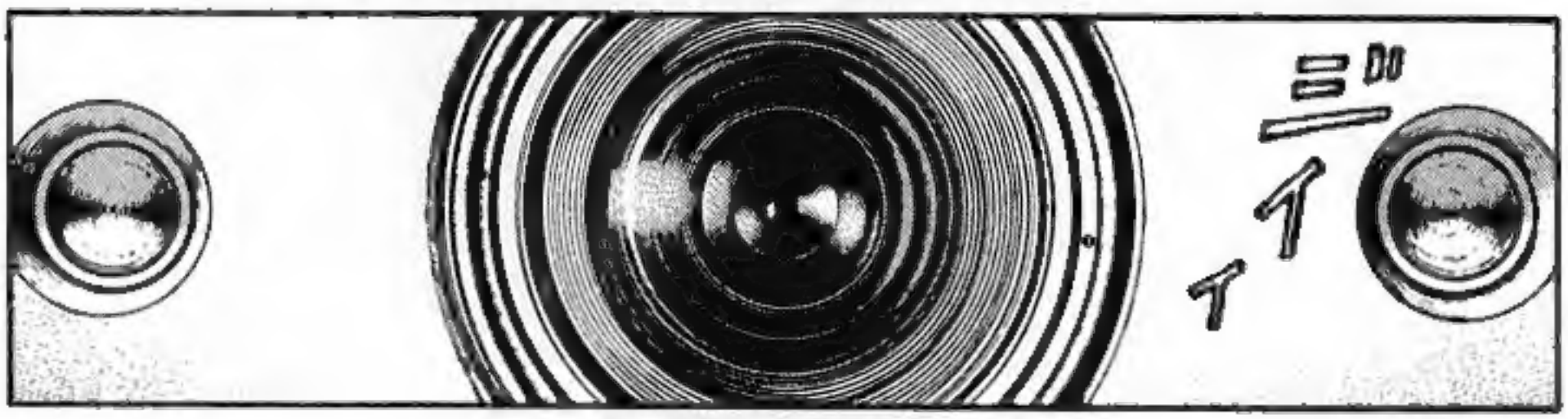
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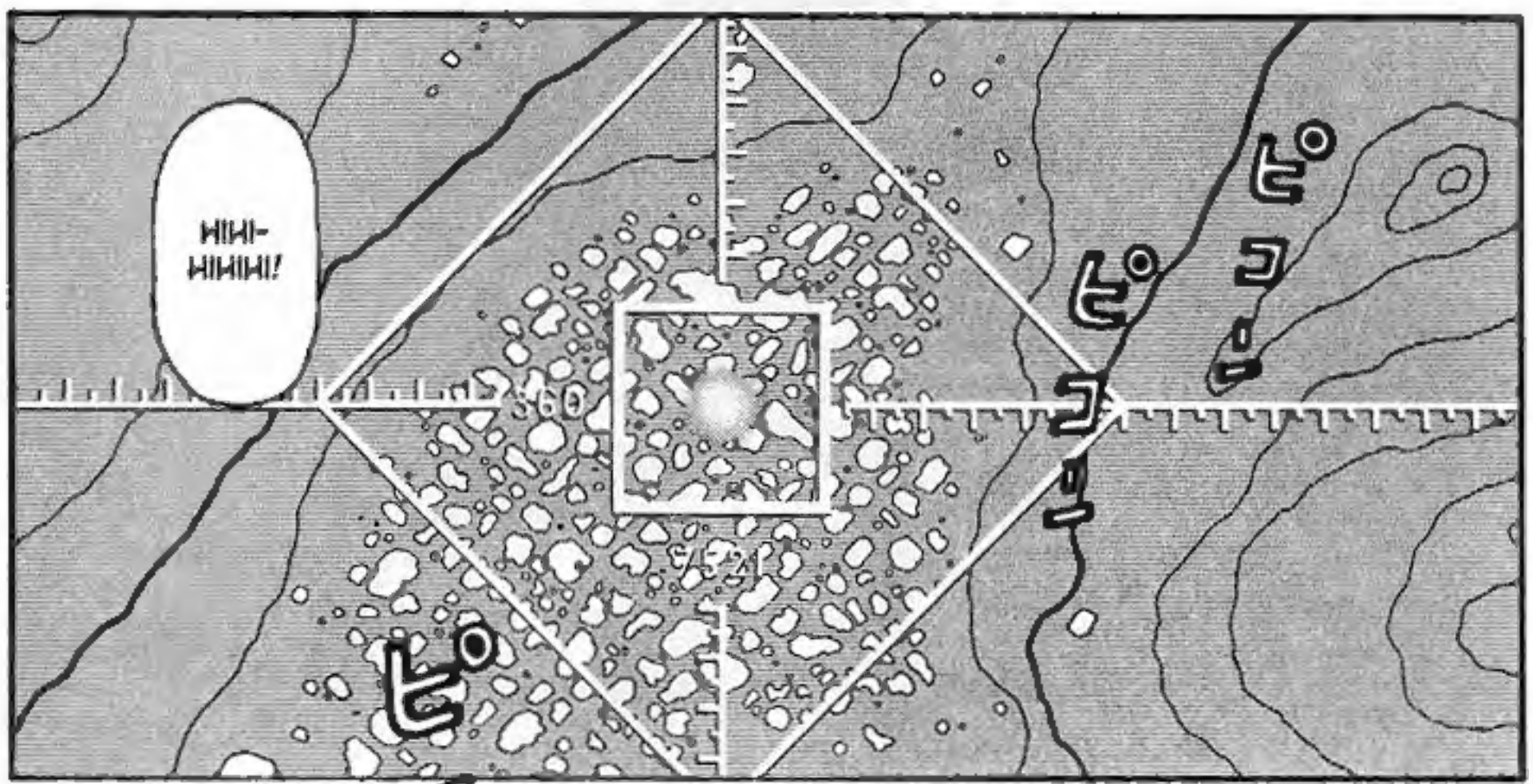
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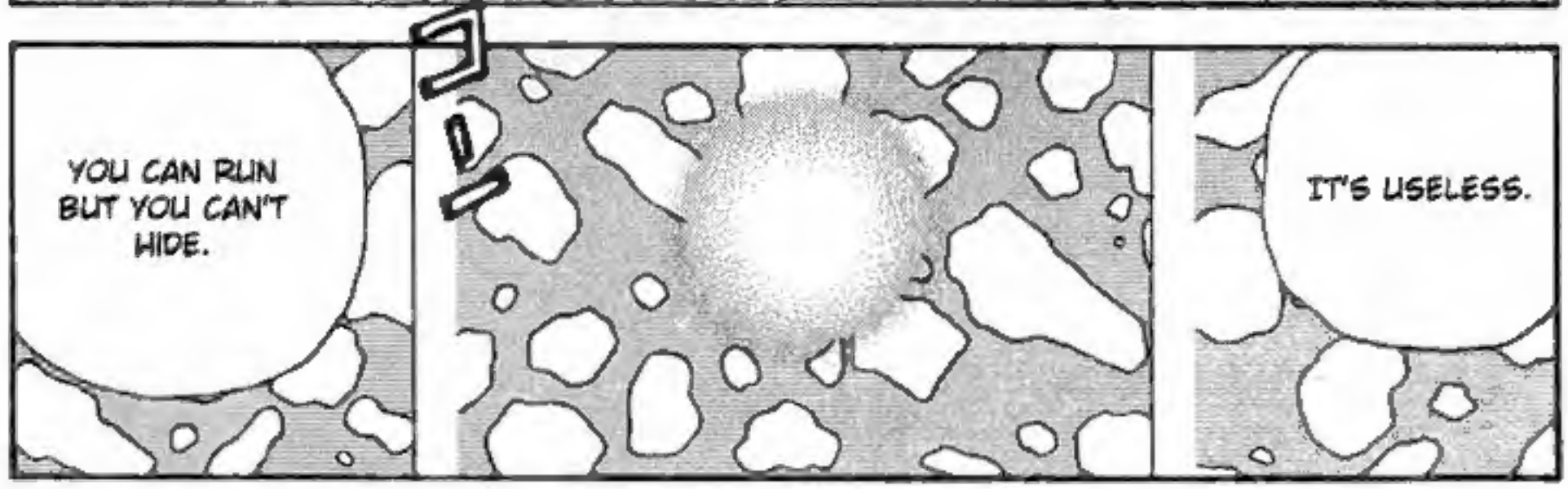
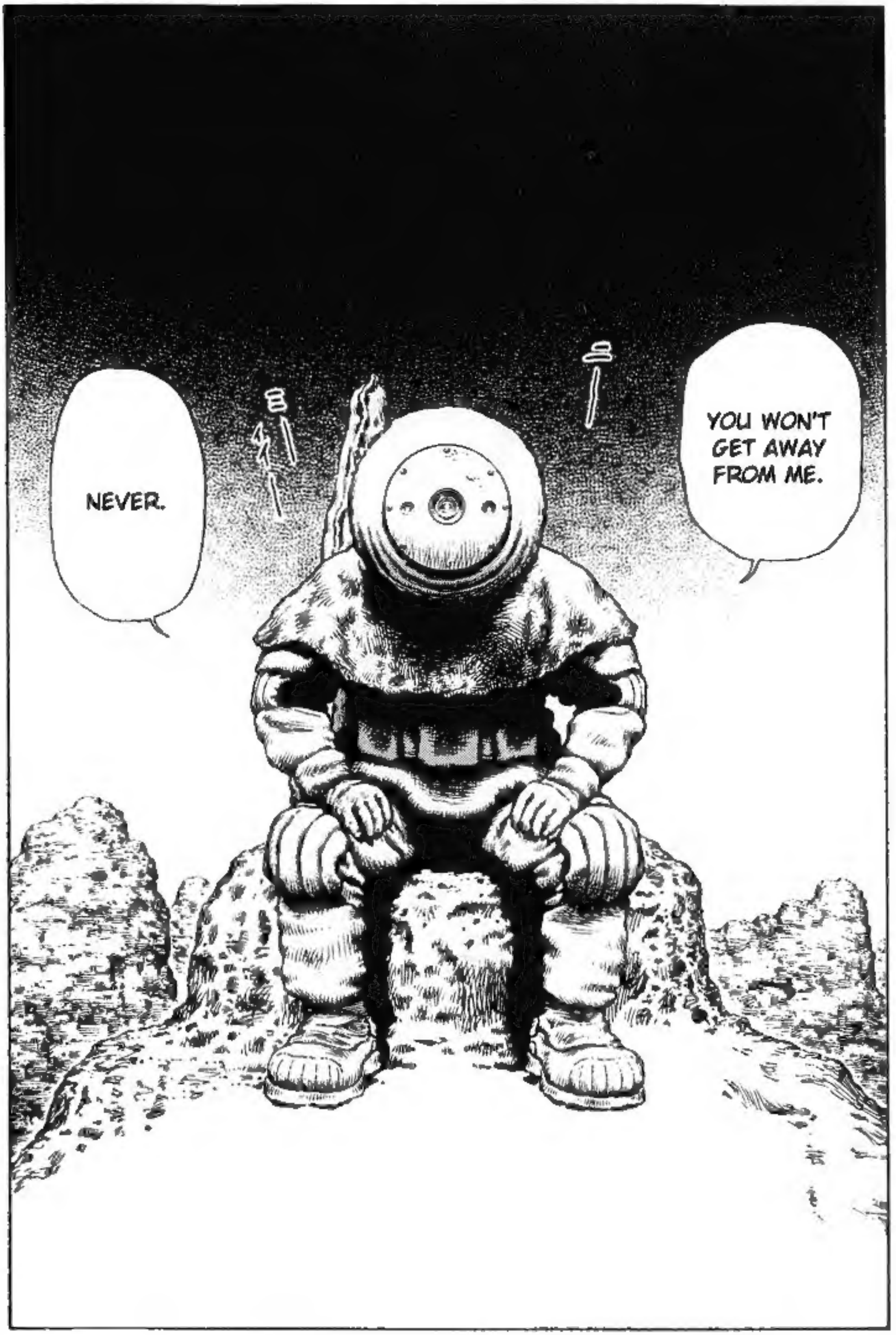
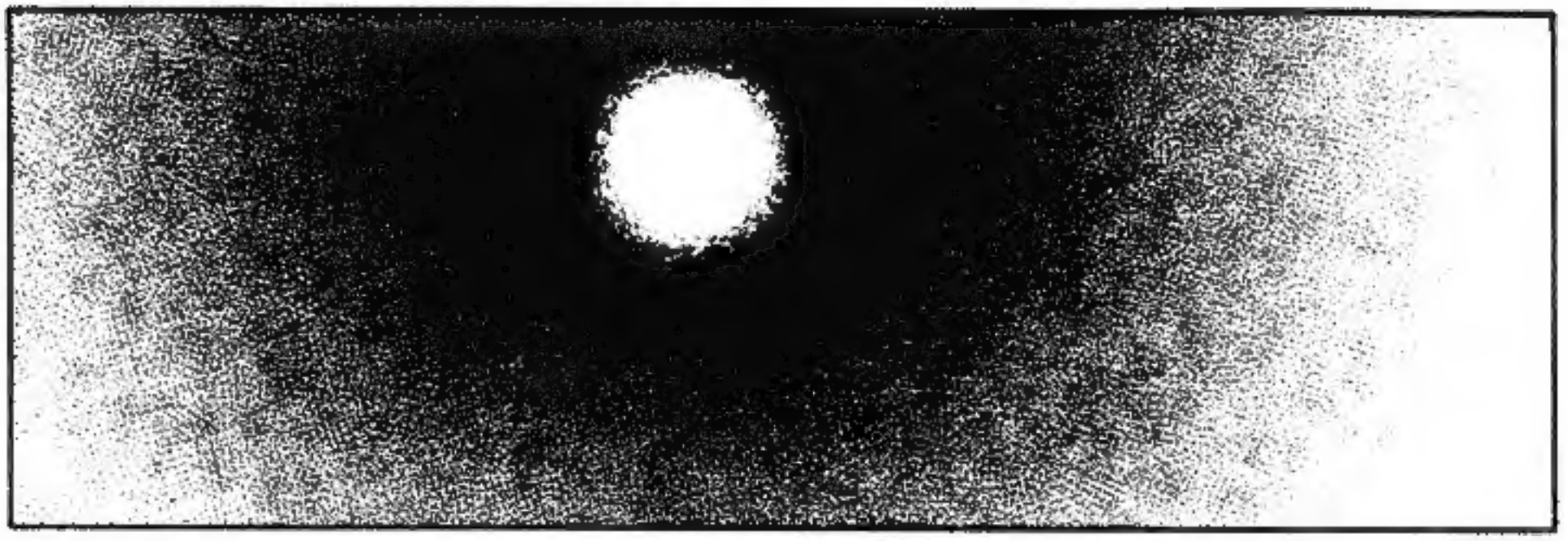
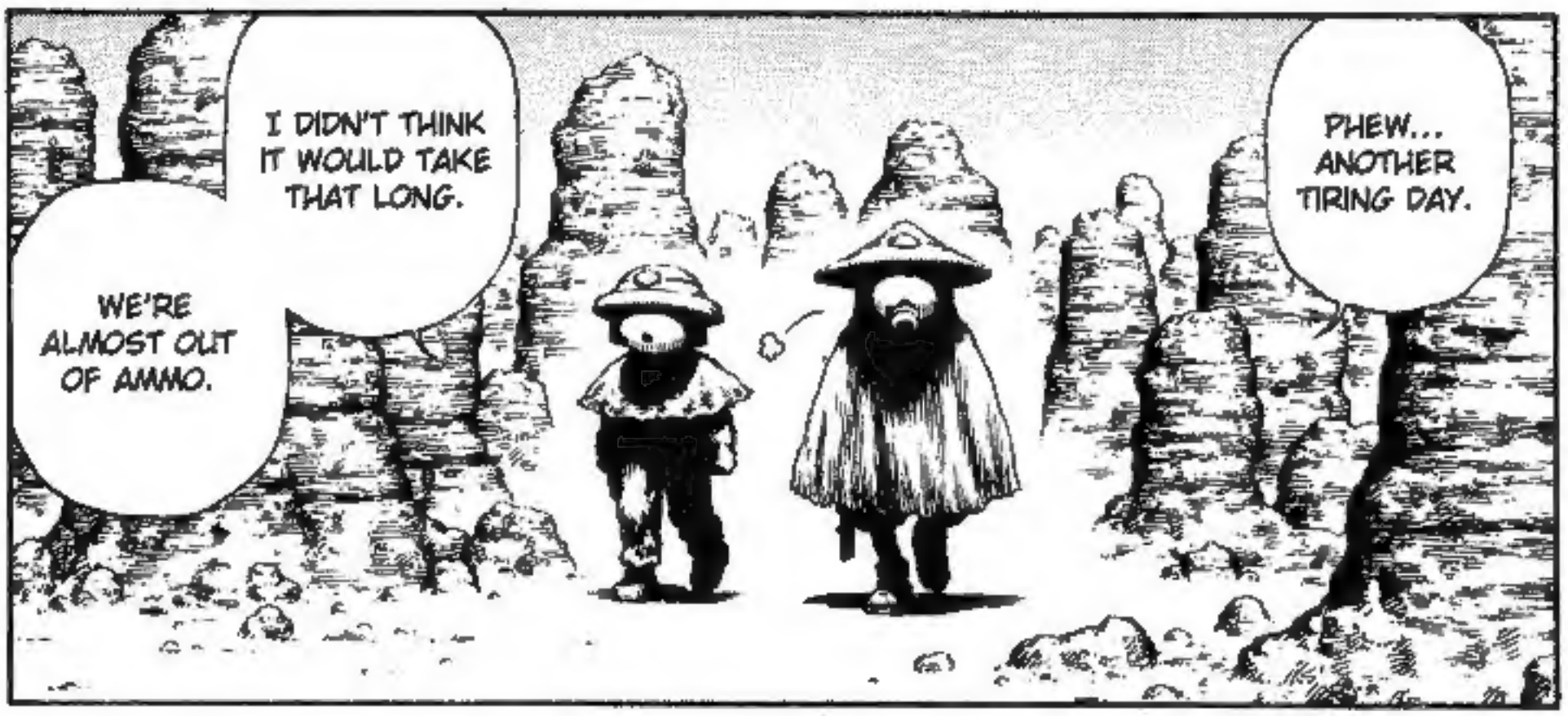
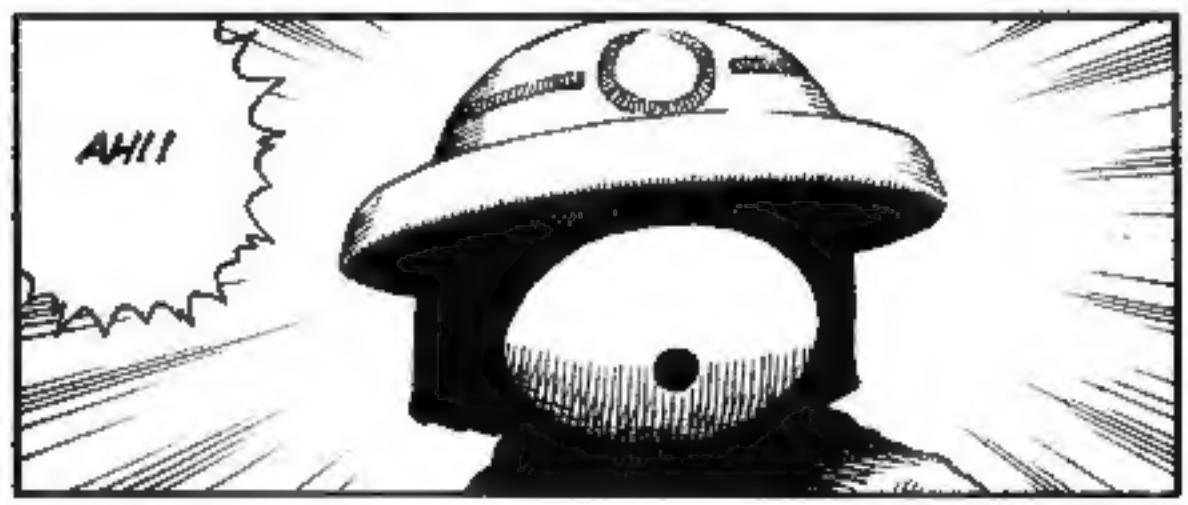

YOU CAN RUN BUT YOU CAN'T HIDE.
IT'S USELESS.


NEVER.
YOU WON'T GET AWAY FROM ME.




WE'RE ALMOST OUT OF AMMO.
I DIDN'T THINK IT WOULD TAKE THAT LONG.
PHEW... ANOTHER TIRING DAY.

!?
KAN-CHAN!


AH!!

WE'RE GONNA RESUPPLY NEAR-BY. WHILE WE'RE AT IT LET'S BUY EVERYTHING WE'RE MISSING.
AAAH, I'M HUNGRY.

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THIS GINORMOUS BOSOM CAN ONLY BE JUNKO ASAGIRI'S.
YOOHOO!
INDEED. CAN'T FORGET THOSE BOOBS
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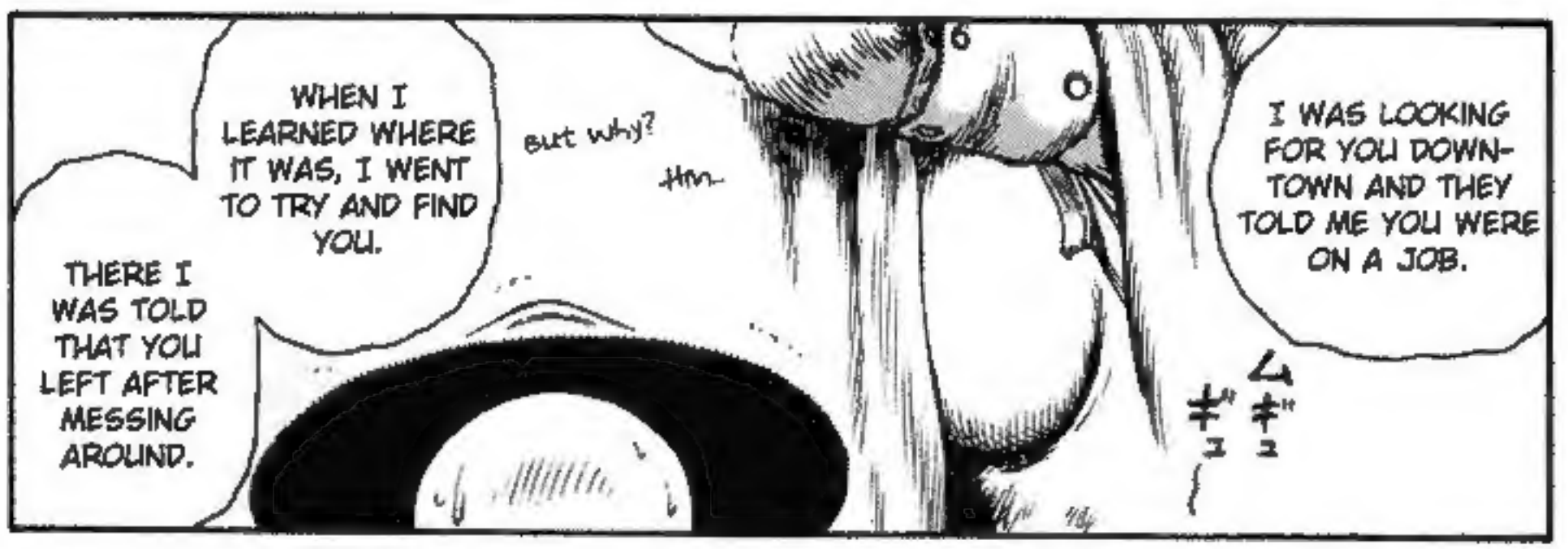
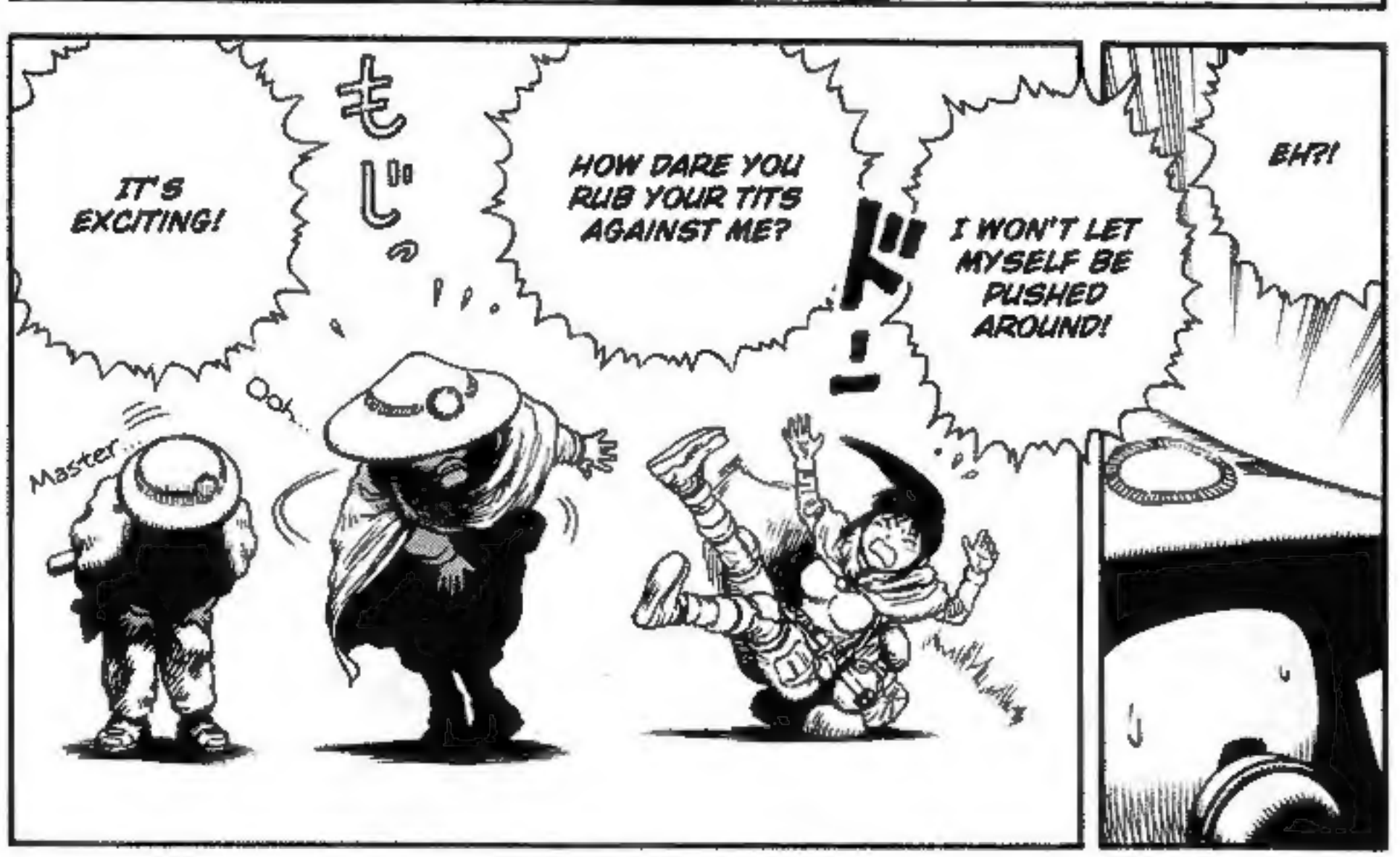
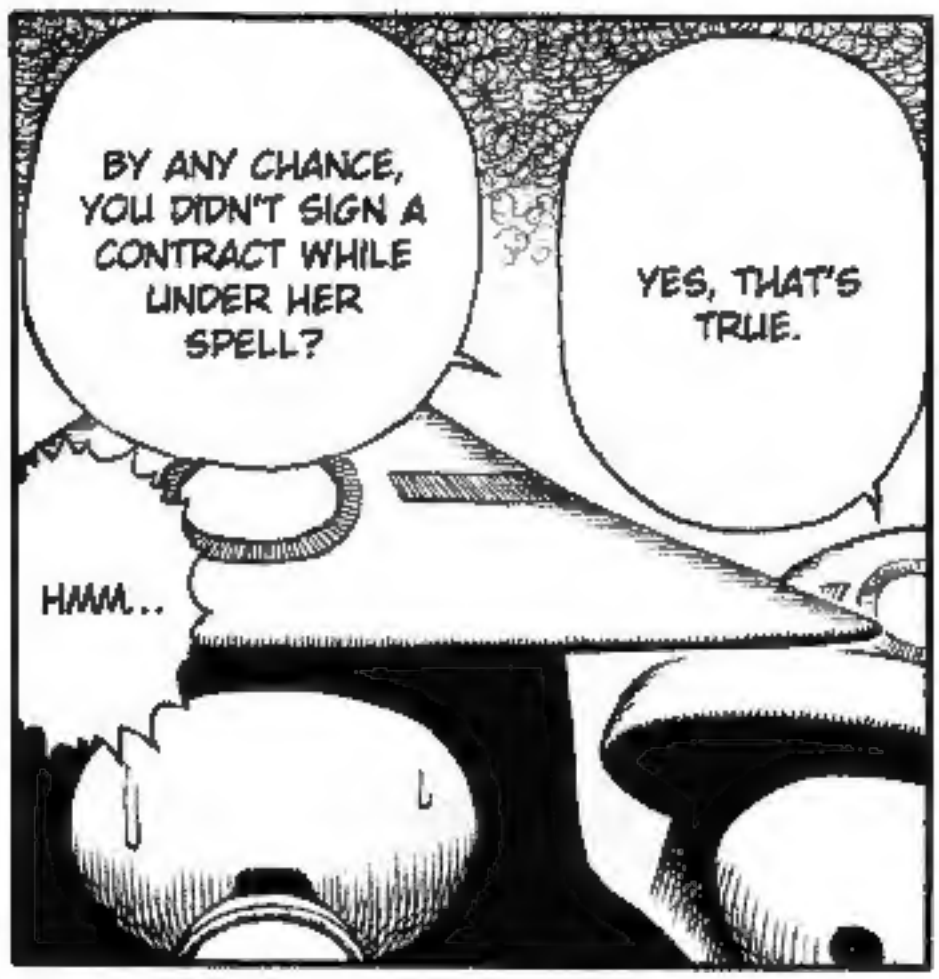
He He He
Theyre bouncing all over the place
THEN DON'T SHOW THEM OFF LIKE THAT!
WHAT A LACK OF TACT! YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO TELL BY MY FACE ALONE.
He! He!
Pff Pff Haa Haa

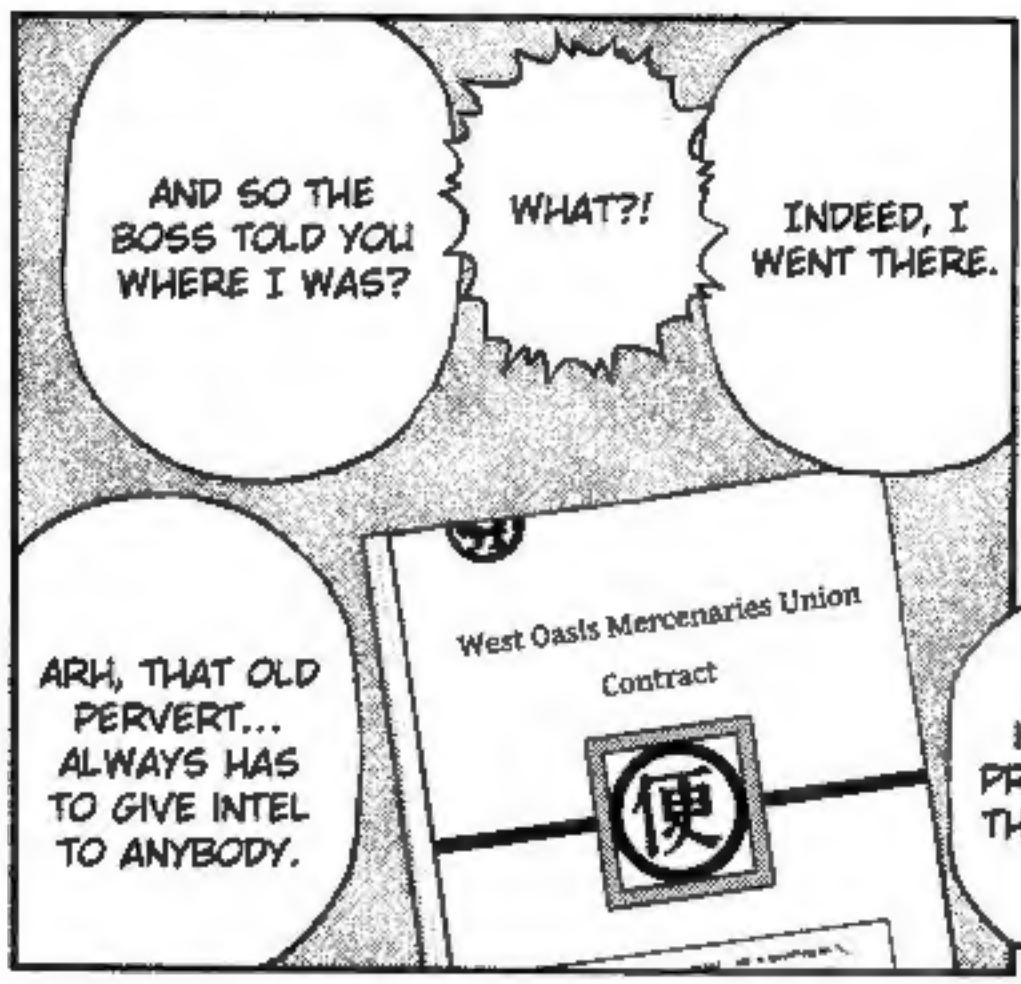
HUH?!
I'VE FOUND YOU, AT LAST!


WHEN I LEARNED WHERE IT WAS, I WENT TO TRY AND FIND YOU.
THERE I WAS TOLD THAT YOU LEFT AFTER MESSING AROUND.
But why?
Hm
I WAS LOOKING FOR YOU DOWN-TOWN AND THEY TOLD ME YOU WERE ON A JOB.


IT'S EXCITING!
HOW DARE YOU RUB YOUR TITS AGAINST ME?
I WON'T LET MYSELF BE PUSHED AROUND!
EH?!
Master...
Ooh...


BY ANY CHANCE, YOU DIDN'T SIGN A CONTRACT WHILE UNDER HER SPELL?
YES, THAT'S TRUE.
HMM...

WE'RE EVEN, AREN'T WE?
DON'T PLAY DUMB!
IS THERE A PROBLEM?


AND SO THE BOSS TOLD YOU WHERE I WAS?
WHAT?!
INDEED, I WENT THERE.
ARH, THAT OLD PERVERT... ALWAYS HAS TO GIVE INTEL TO ANYBODY.
West Oasis Mercenaries Union
Contract
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YOU'RE DONE WITH YOUR WORK, RIGHT?
HERE'S A NEW ONE.
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HM, IT'S PRINTED BY THE UNION.
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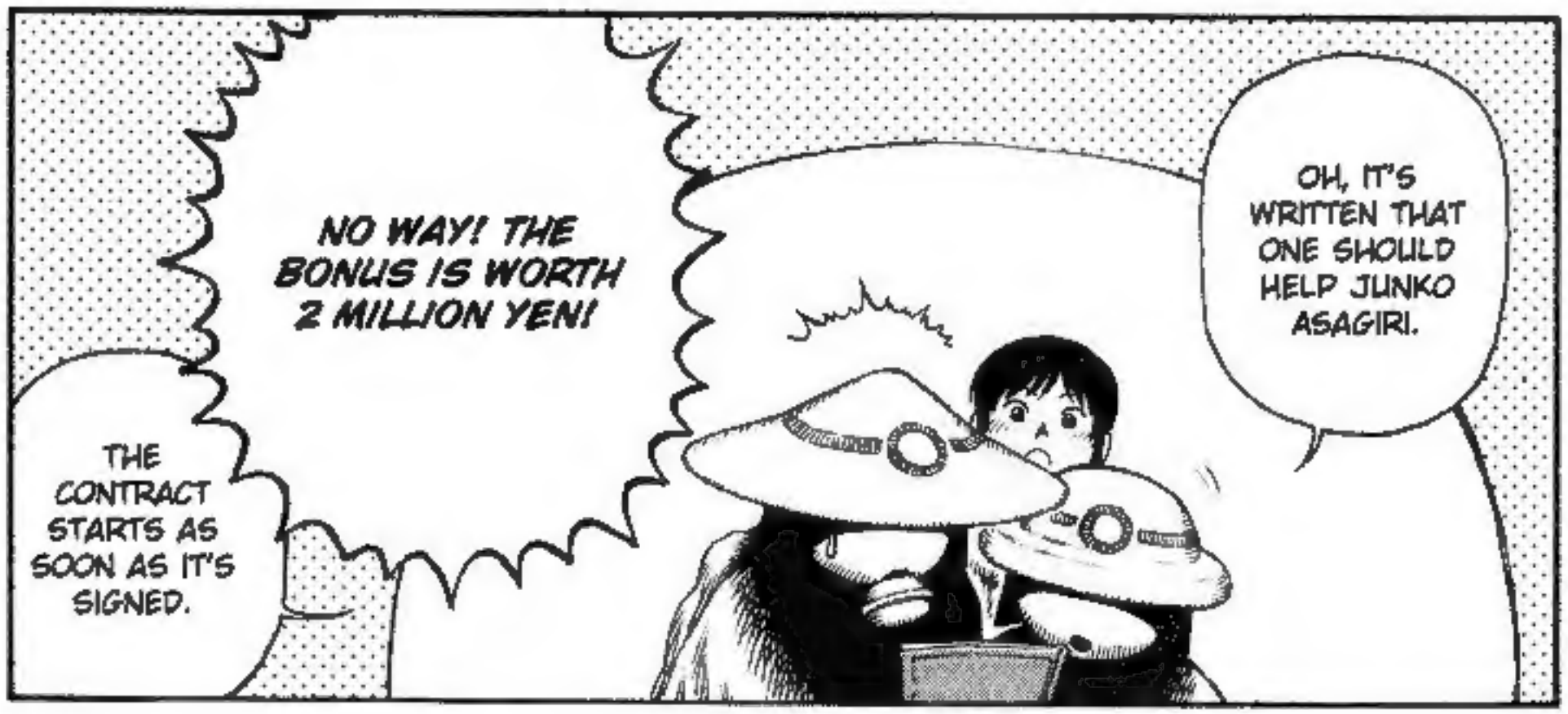
NO WAY! THE BONUS IS WORTH 2 MILLION YEN!
OH, IT'S WRITTEN THAT ONE SHOULD HELP JUNKO ASAGIRI.
THE CONTRACT STARTS AS SOON AS IT'S SIGNED.

OH, COME ON!
SUCH AN AMOUNT... THERE MUST BE A TRICK...
I FEAR THE WORST.

OH!
WHAT DID SHE DO THIS TIME?

2 MILLIONS, IT'S HARD TO DECLINE.
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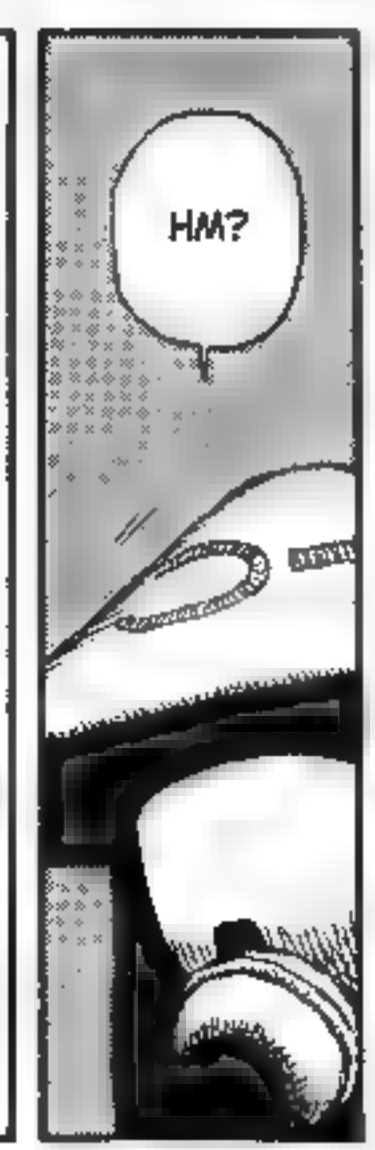
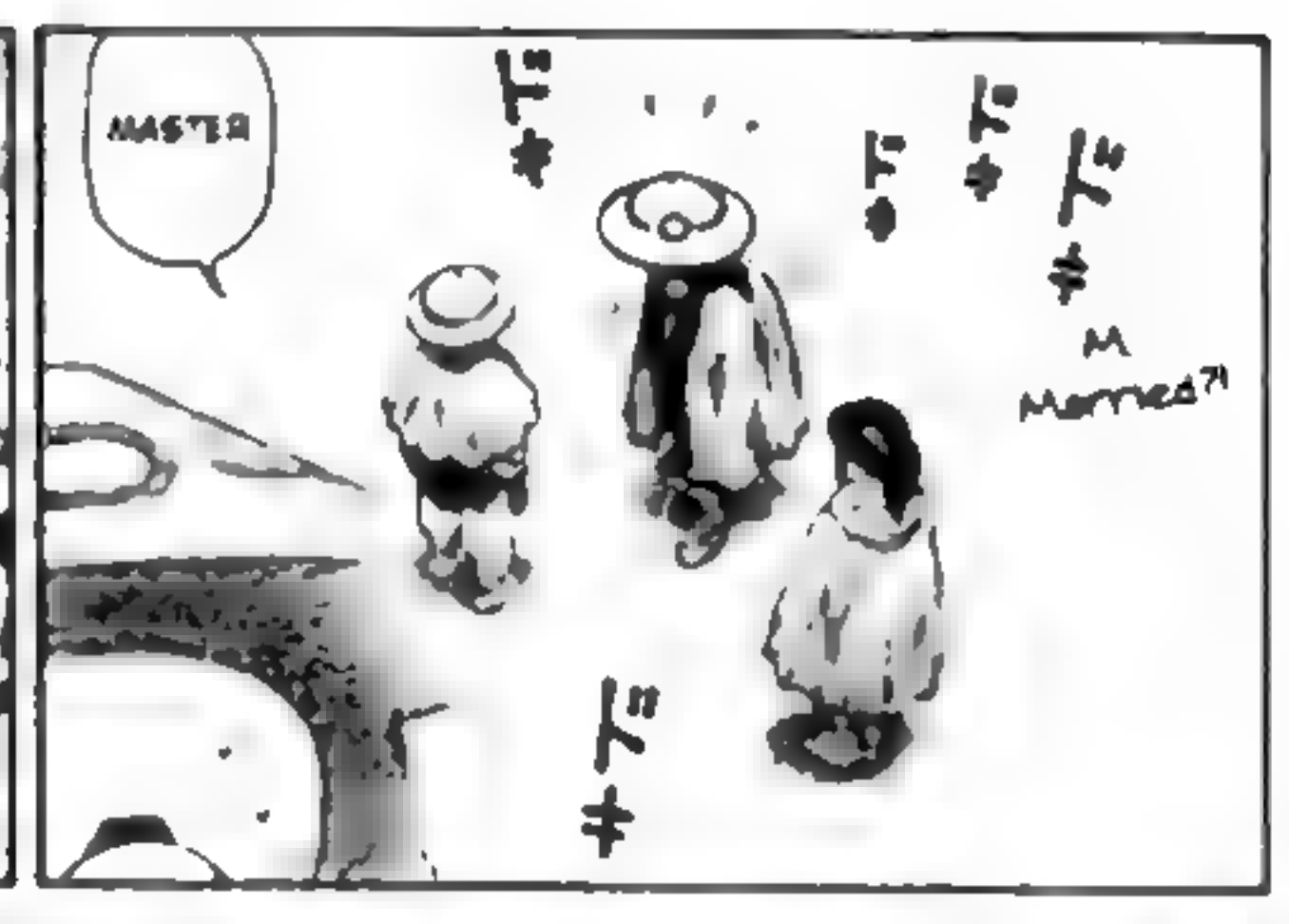
AND AT ANY RATE, I DON'T WANT TO WORK WITH YOU EVER AGAIN.
It smells too fishy.
Eeeh?
NOT INTERESTED.

I'LL BE [redacted] AGAINST MY WILL.
IF YOU REFUSE TO HELP ME...


HM?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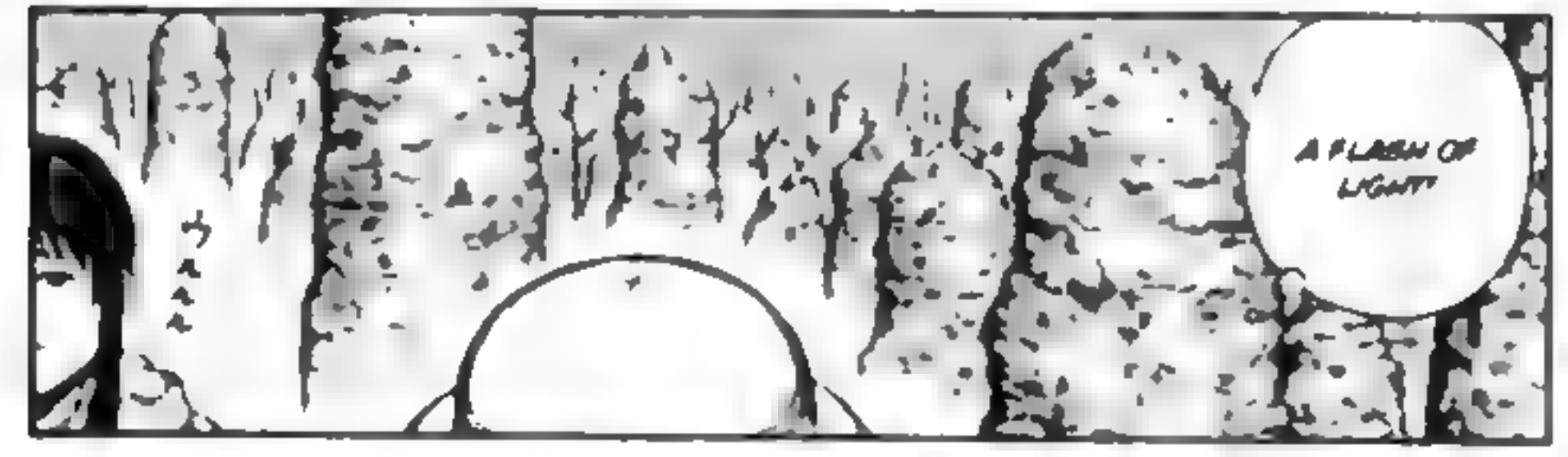
MOTHER?!

OH!


A FLASH OF LIGHT

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ドドオオン
WAAH!
WE'RE LIKE SITTING DUCKS!

WAA

SOME-ONE'S COMING.

HE'S ALIVE BUT UN-CONSCIOUS.
NMF...
OH, GOD!

HUH?!
LET'S GET OUT OF HERE.
HELP ME.

YES, I DO HATE YOU!

BUT I CAN'T CARRY HIM BY MYSELF.

DON'T TELL ME YOU HATE ME.

Body weight + equipment = 80kg

I NEVER SAID I WOULD.

ARE YOU GOING TO HELP ME TOO?

MOREOVER, I WOULD NEED YOUR INFORMATION.

HE'LL BE SO PISSED HE'LL WANT TO KILL ME.

PLUS, IF I DO SOMETHING WITHOUT HIS APPROVAL, WHEN HE WAKES UP...

← Her dream

HEAVE HO!

He's damn heavy

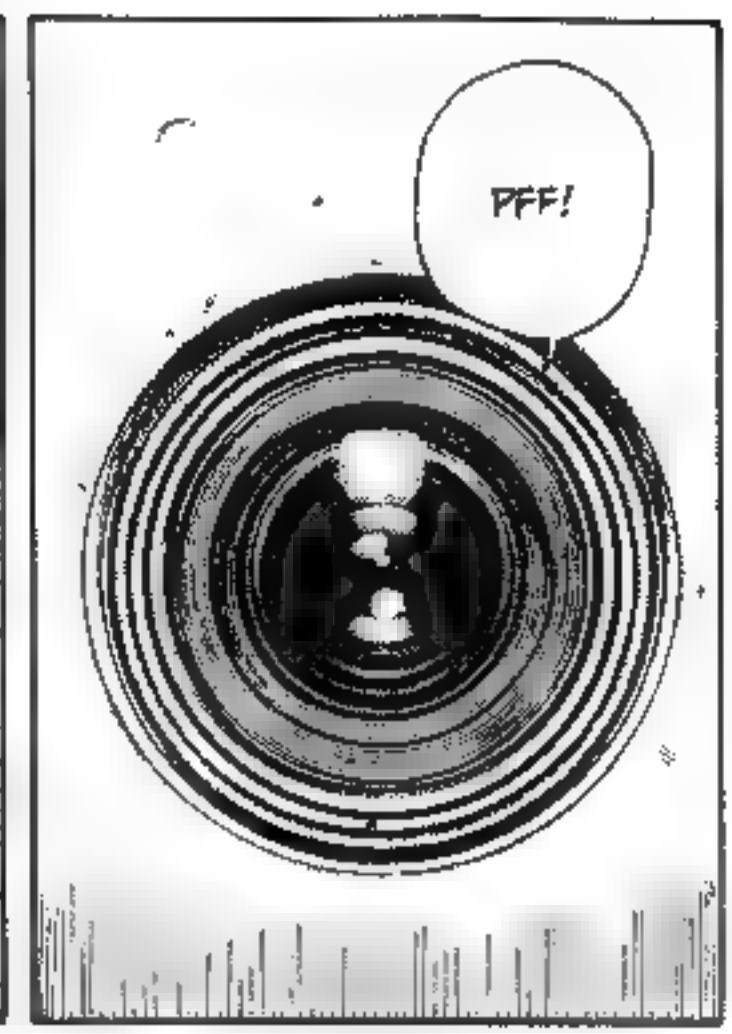
She's dragging him hands and feet tied, wrapped in his coat

WHAT?!

CONCEITED LITTLE GIRL!

Ouch Ouch Ouch

SFX: Hiiiii~



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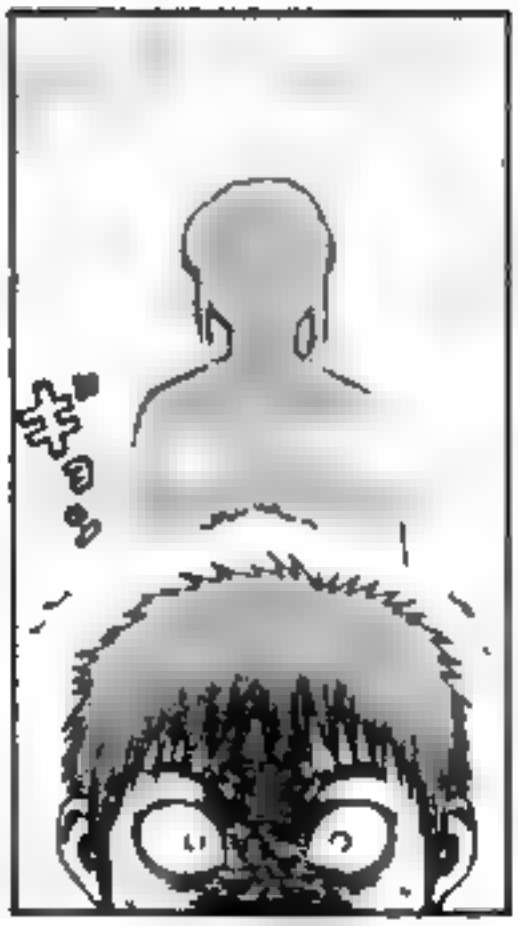
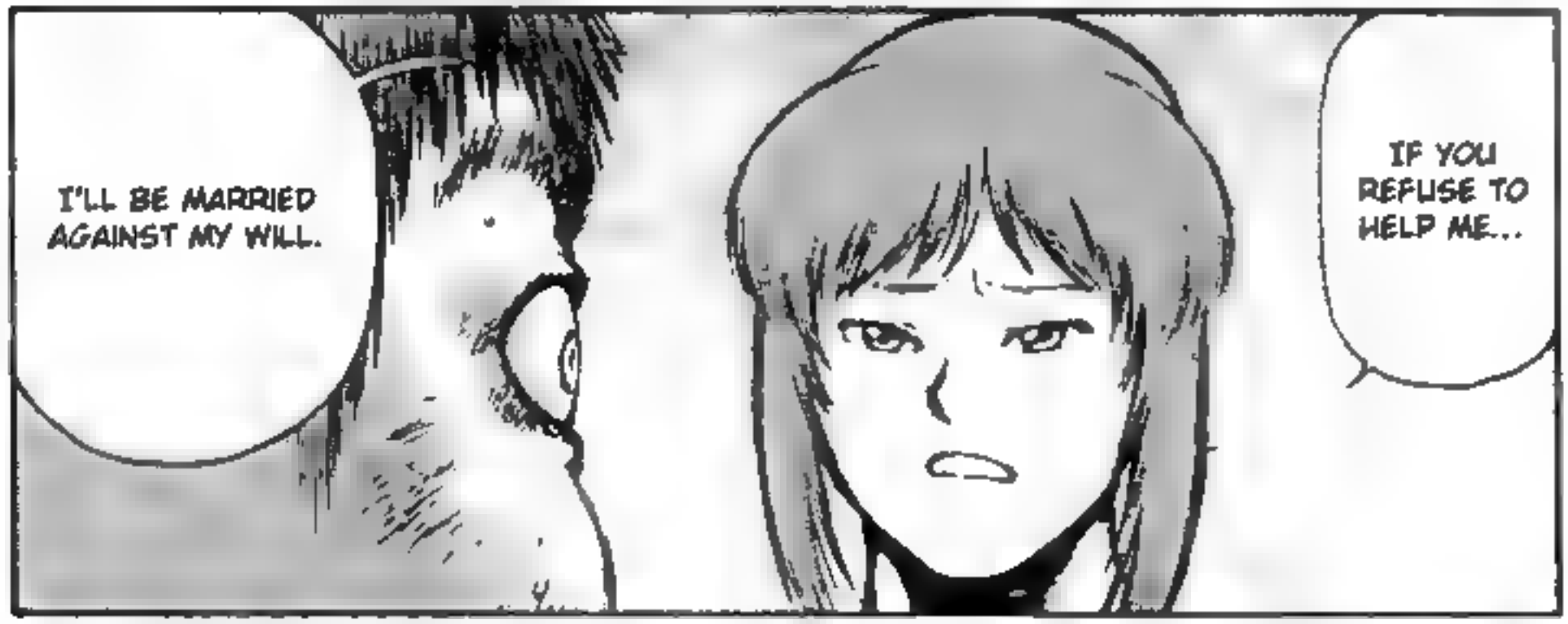
SFX: YAAAWN

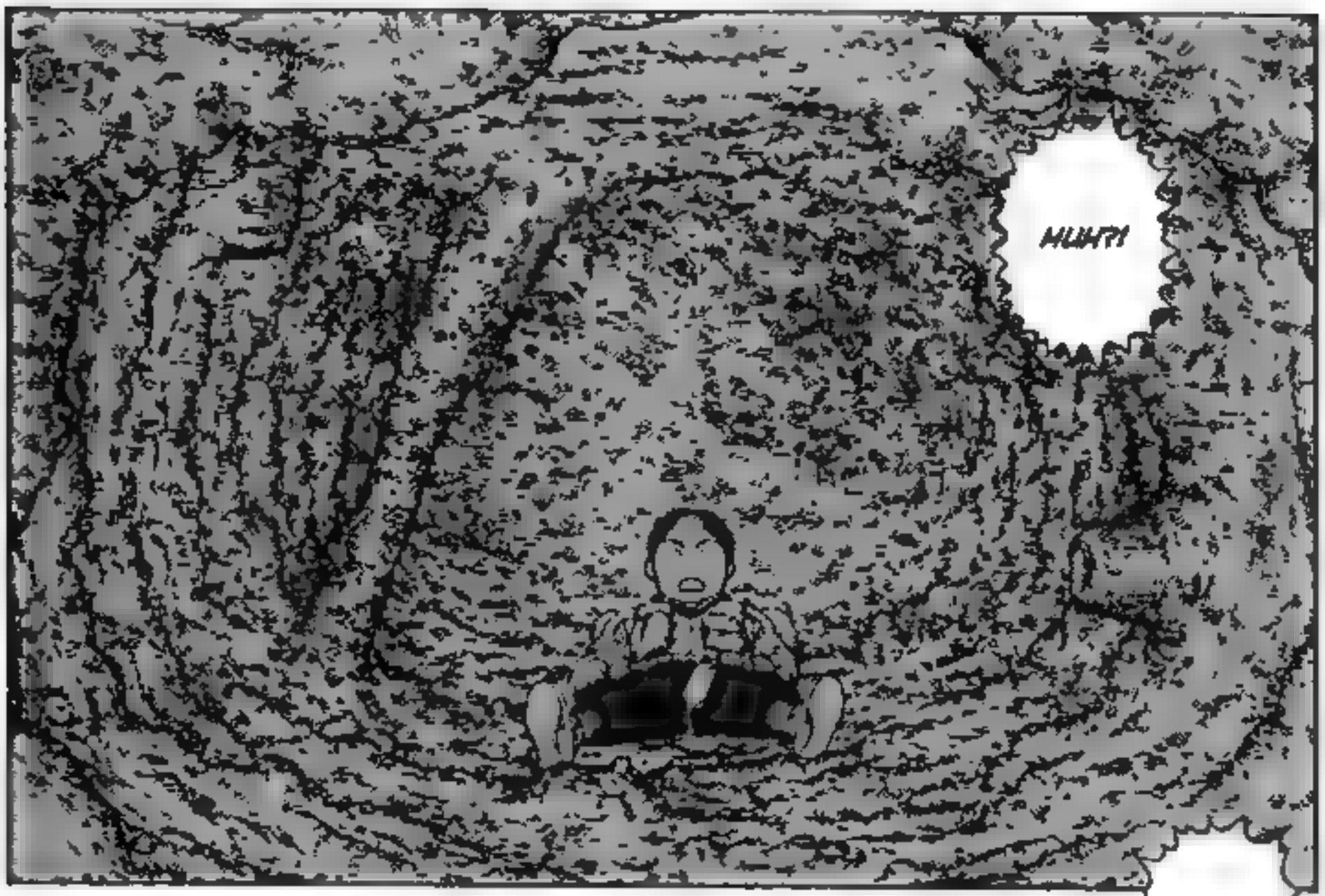
HONEEEY!
AAAH...
JUNKO!



WHA...
HUH...


I'LL BE MARRIED AGAINST MY WILL.
IF YOU REFUSE TO HELP ME...

Nooo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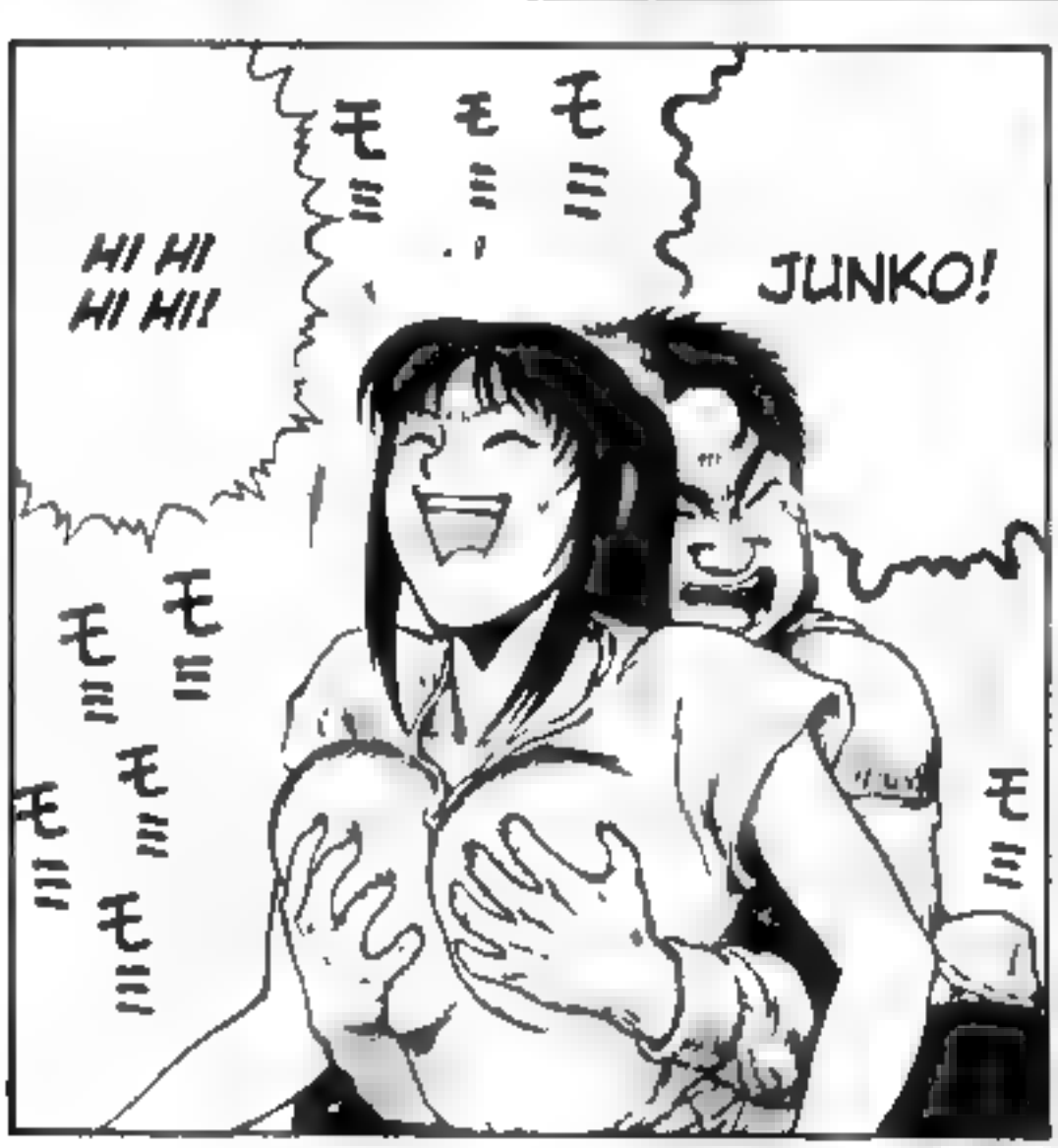
HAAA...
HAAA...
HAAA...
HAAA...


HI HI
HI HI!
JUNKO!

!?
YOU ALRIGHT?
AH, HE'S AWAKE.

I'M SHAKING HIM A BIT, HE'S HALF ASLEEP.

IS THAT ENOUGH?

レギュ

YEAH... I'M AWAKE.

HUH?

IS HE OK?

WE HID OURSELVES IN A CAVE WHEN WE GOT OUT OF THE MONOLITH FOREST.

IT'S BEEN ONE HOUR SINCE THE FIRST SHOT.

TAIKO, WHAT'S THE SITU-ATION?

3CM BELOW AND I WAS DONE FOR.

OH NO!

AS FOR THE DAMAGES, YOUR HELMET TOOK A HIT AND YOU HAVE A BUMP

HE'S A PRETTY GOOD SHOOTER.

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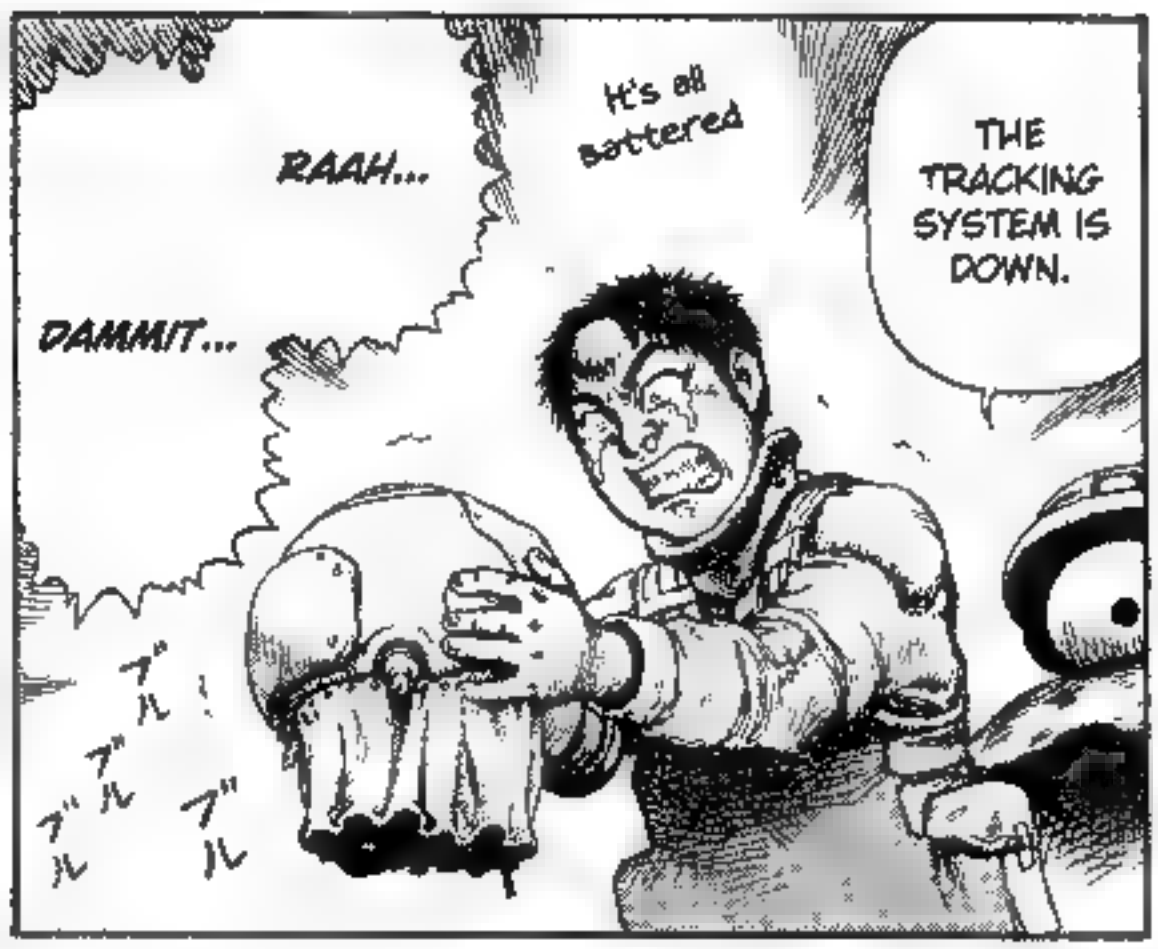
THE SOUND OF THE DETONATION CAME AF-TERWARD.

YOU MUST BE GOOD TO SHOOT FROM THAT DISTANCE.

ARE YOU GONNA SIGN?
ER... WHAT DO WE DO?


RAAH...
It's all battered
THE TRACKING SYSTEM IS DOWN.
DAMMIT...
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WE HAVEN'T GOT ANY AMMO NOR SUPPLIES.
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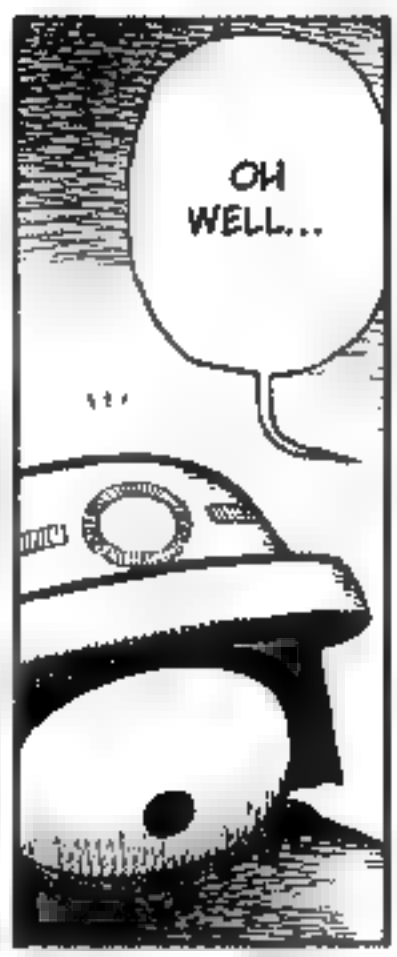
WE'RE NOT ASKING FOR YOUR OPINION.

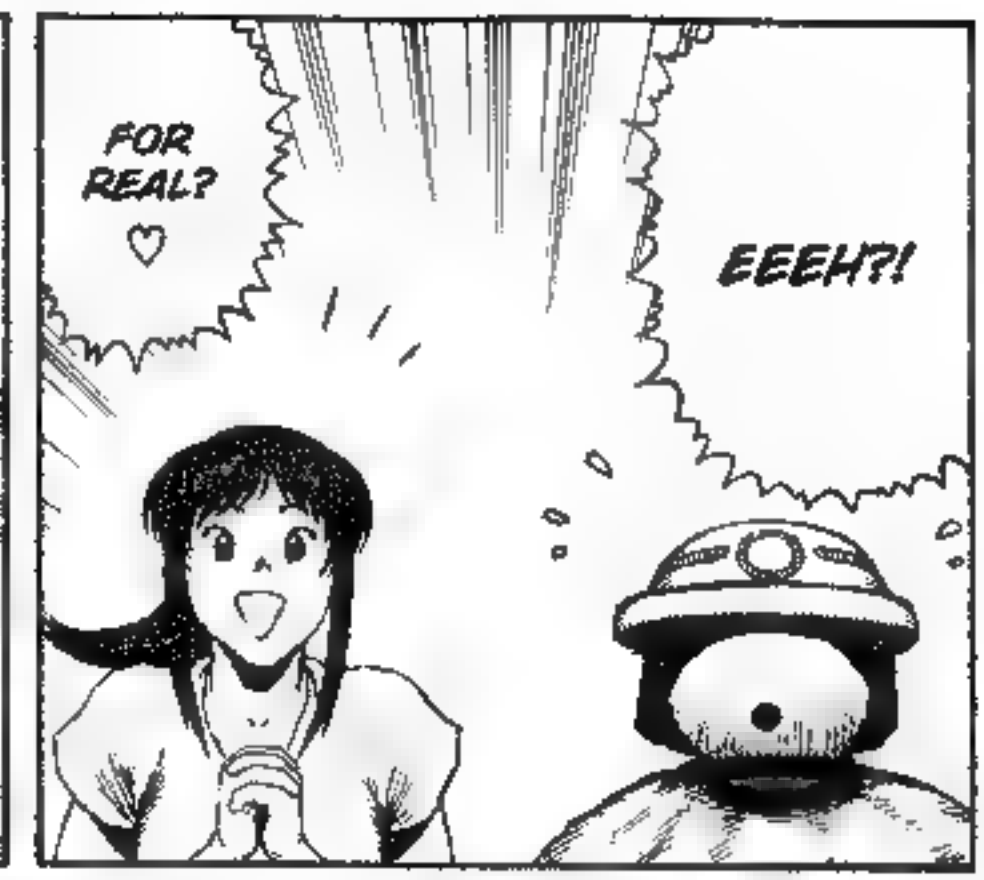
WE'D BE BETTER THROWING OFF A GIRL LIKE HER.
PLEASE?

I ACCEPT.


OH WELL...

HMM...

I KNOW, IT'S FISHY AND WHAT'S MORE, I CAN'T STAND BEING MANIPULATED BY JUNKO.
I DON'T UNDERSTAND YOU.


FOR REAL?
EEEH?!

IS EVEN MORE UNBEARABLE!
BUT THE THOUGHT OF HER BEING OWNED BY SOMEONE ELSE...

HOWEVER ...
GULP

WOUAHOUI ♡
Kan-chan

IT'S PATHETIC.
Coming from the great Sunabo-Zu
AH... DON'T TALK NONSENSE.
MM..

I ACCEPT THIS JOB PROVIDED THAT YOU BECOME MY WIFE.
WHAT?
OUT OF QUESTION!
WHAT!?
ドーン

AN... ANYTHING!!
ドキ
I WOULD DO ANYTHING YOU SAY.
I WOULD BE DEVOTED THEN.
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NO WAY!!
YES, AND FOR FREE!

JUST SEE TO IT THAT I FALL IN LOVE WITH YOU.
IF YOU WANT ME...
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HMM...
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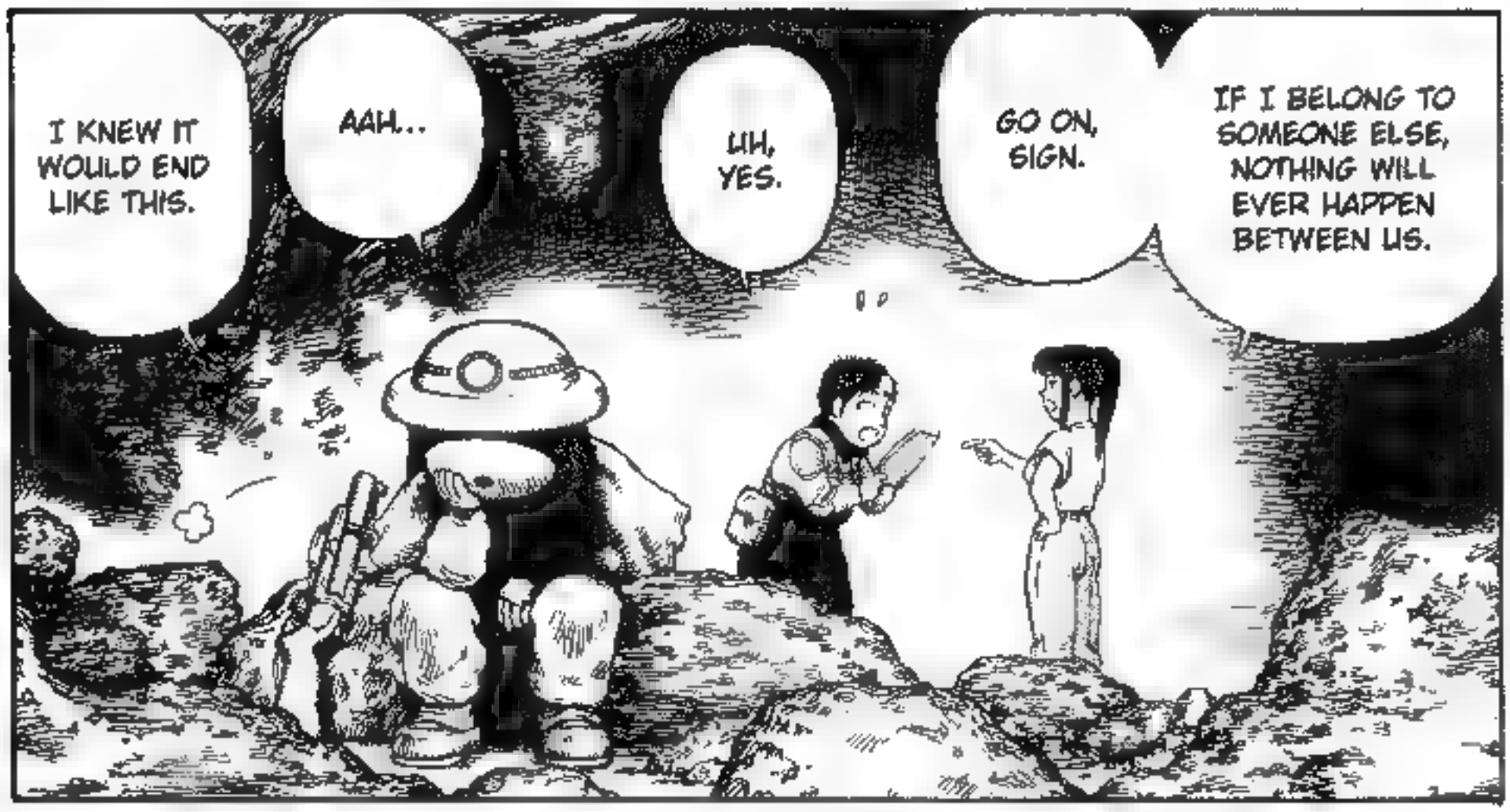
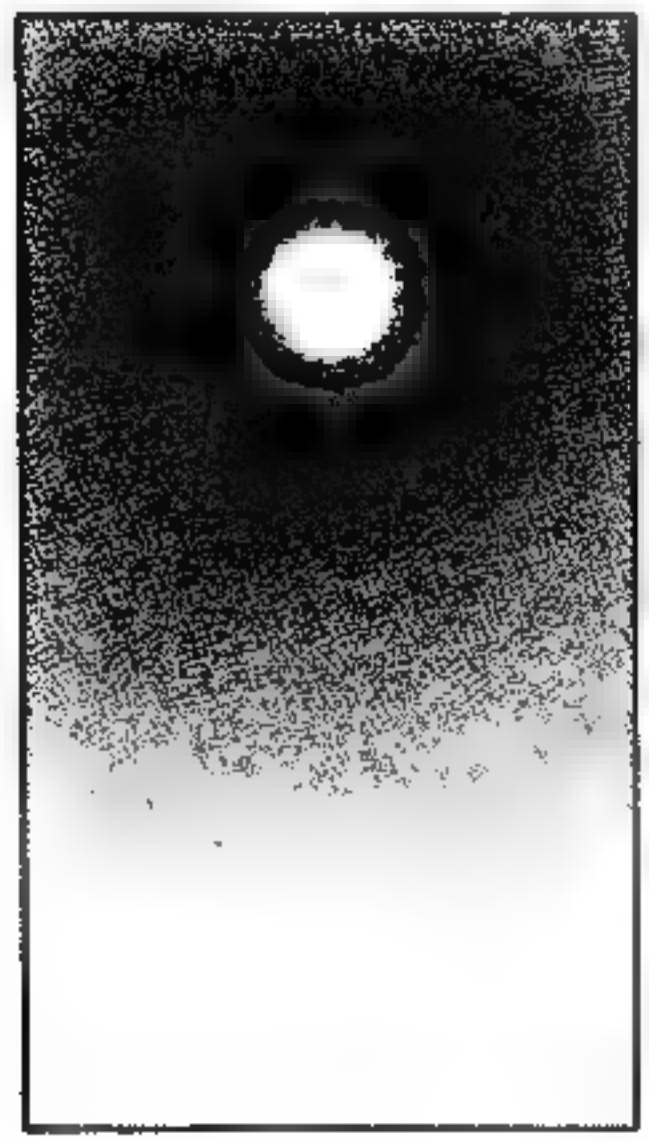

I KNEW IT WOULD END LIKE THIS.
AAH...
UH, YES.
GO ON, SIGN.
IF I BELONG TO SOMEONE ELSE, NOTHING WILL EVER HAPPEN BETWEEN US.



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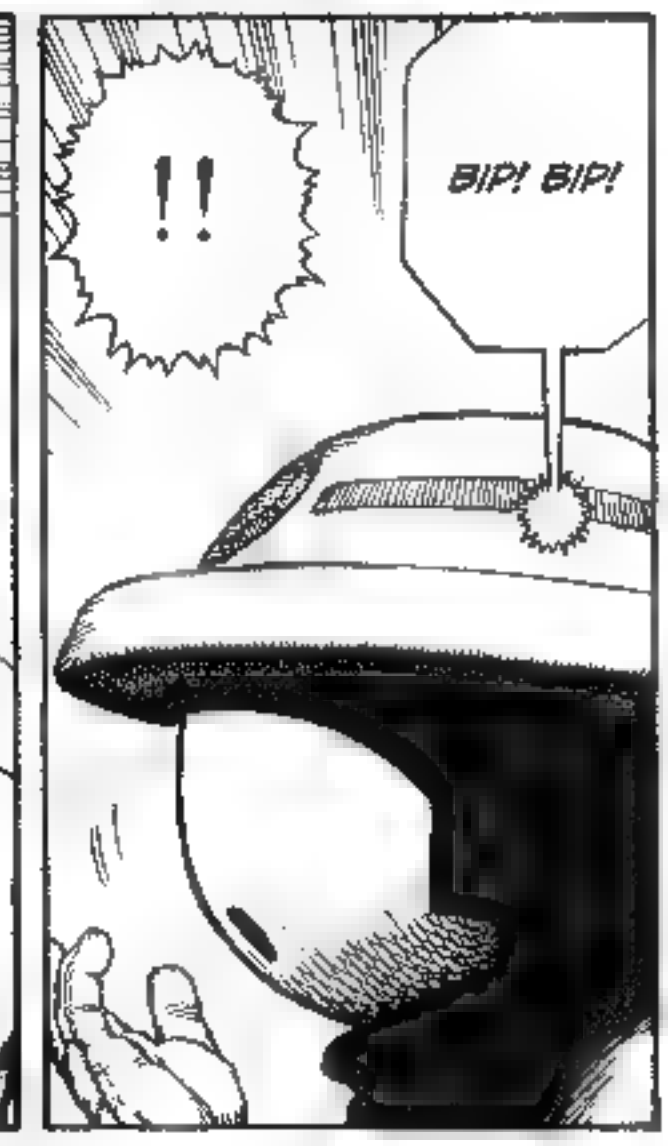
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BIP! BIP!

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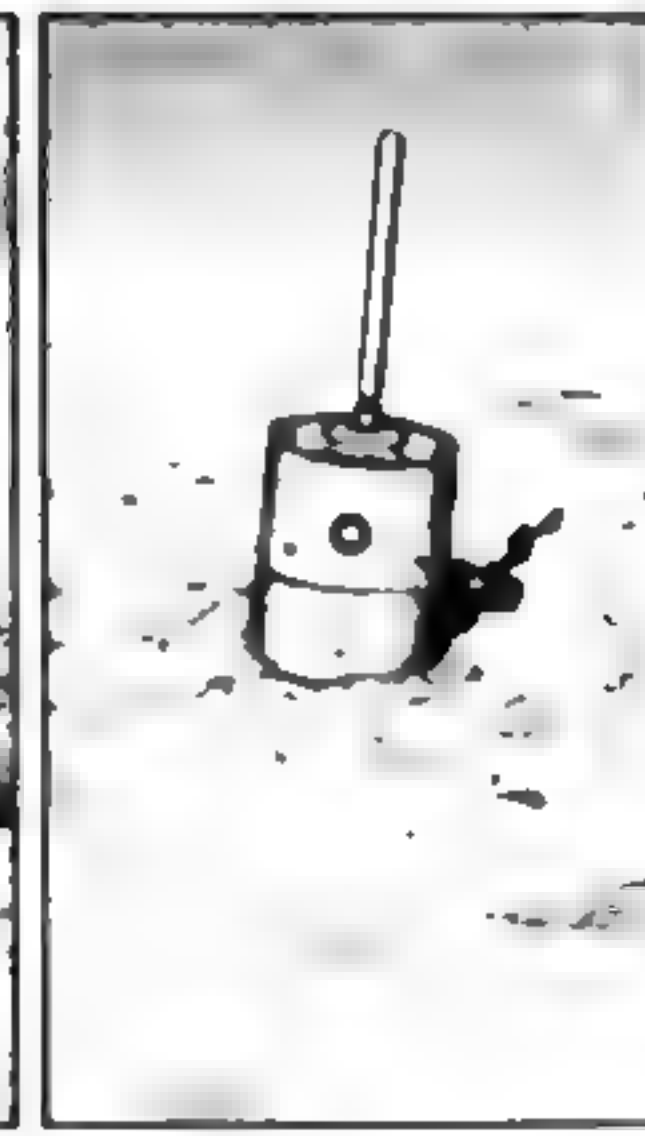
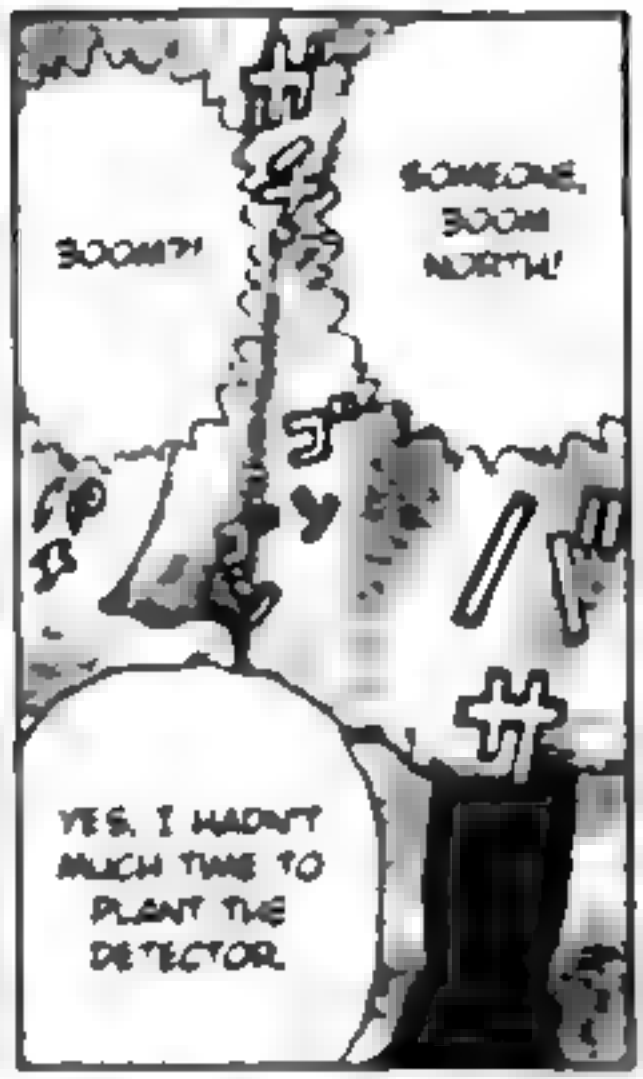


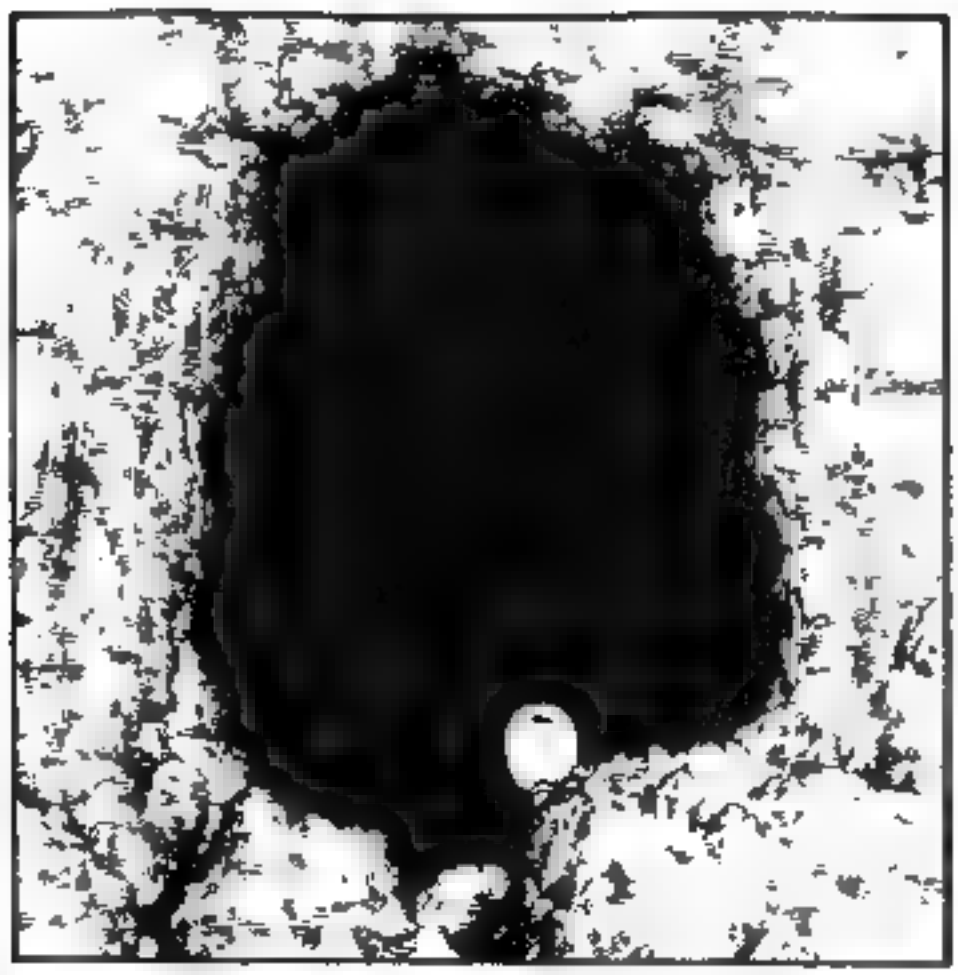
HUH?!
HE WEARS A NEW TYPE OF SUIT

I DIDN'T DAWDLE, BUT IT WASN'T EASY WHEN YOU WERE OUT OF IT
ALL THE SAME, HE'S FAST. HE WON'T DROP IT
AHA

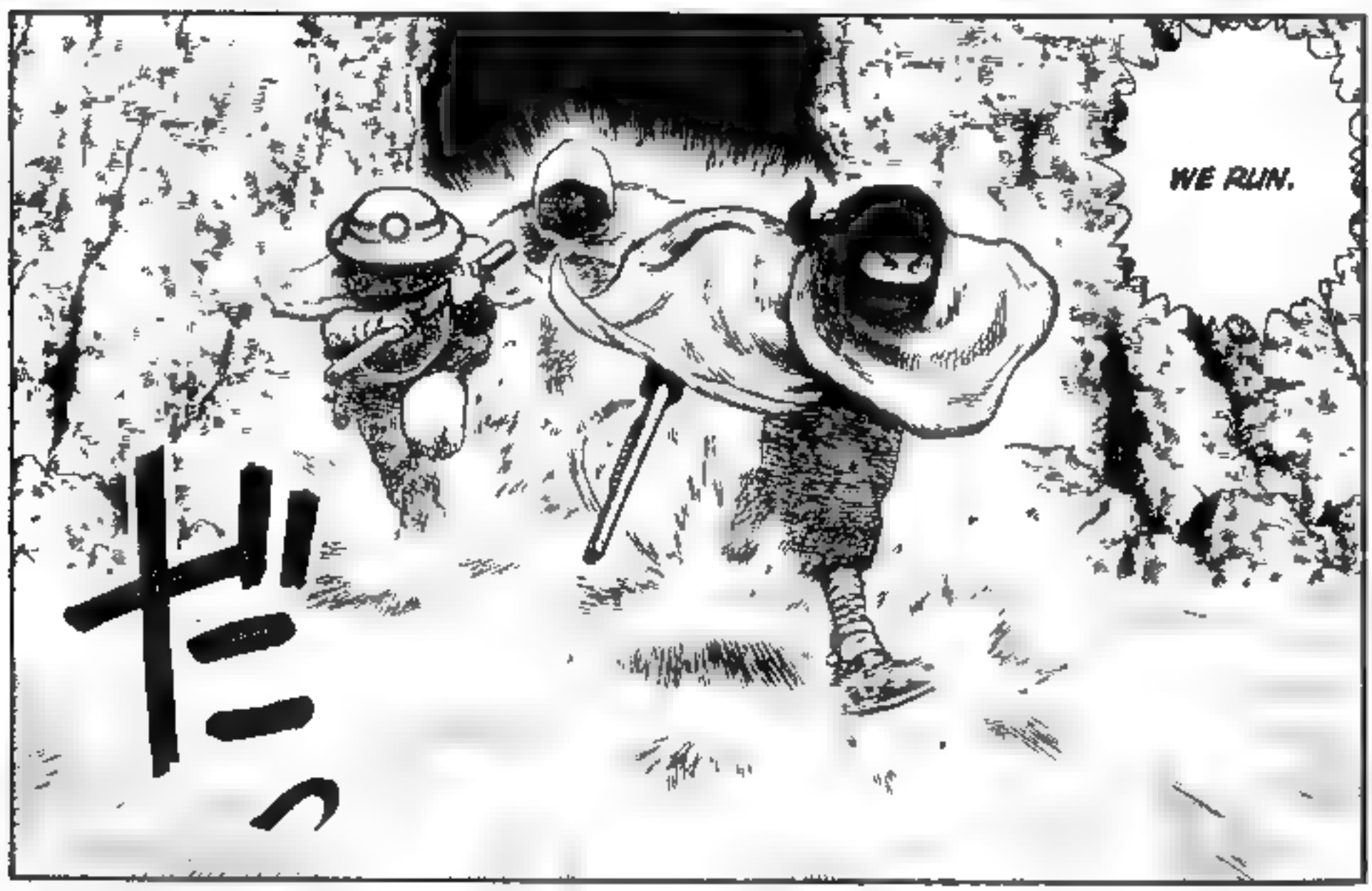

BOOM?!
SOMEONE, BOOM NORTH!
YES. I HADN'T MUCH TIME TO PLANT THE DETECTOR

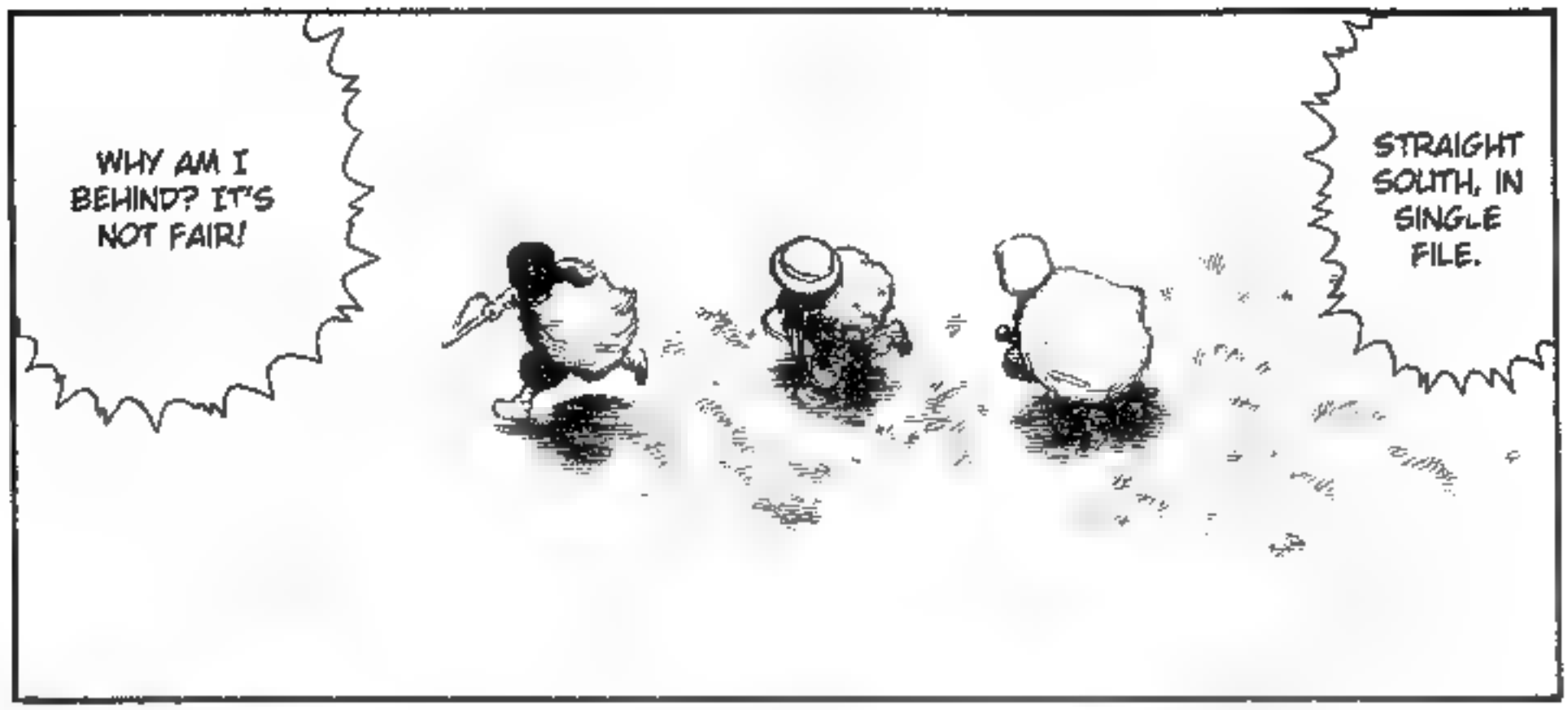
IT'S ALMOST SURREAL...
HIS TRACKING SYSTEM IS EXTREMELY EFFICIENT.

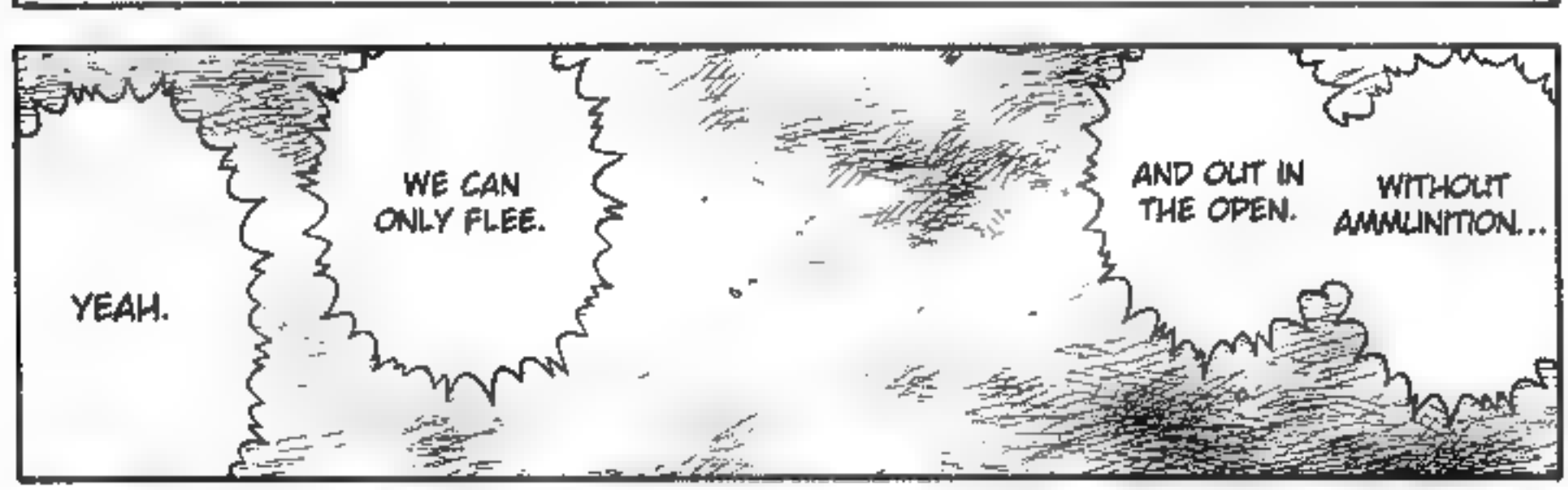
IT'S ALWAYS THE SAME. SHE NEVER TELLS ME ANYTHING BEFORE THE CONTRACT IS SIGNED
HE GOT RID OF 13 GUYS, ALL OF THEM HEAVILY ARMED, IN ONE SHOT

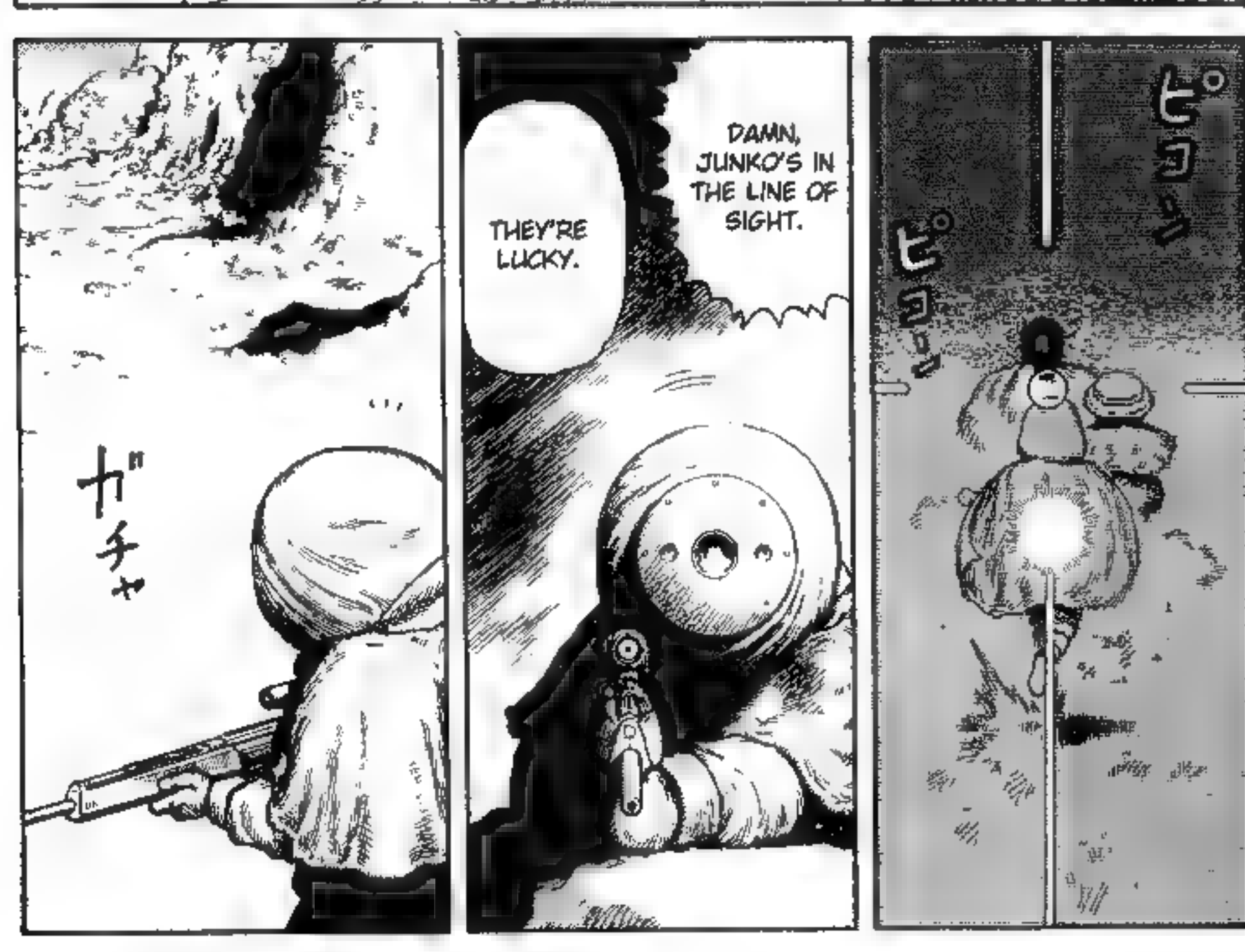


YOU READY?
YES.
WHAT DO WE DO?


WE RUN.


WHY AM I BEHIND? IT'S NOT FAIR!
STRAIGHT SOUTH, IN SINGLE FILE.


YEAH.
WE CAN ONLY FLEE.
AND OUT IN THE OPEN.
WITHOUT AMMUNITION...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THEY'RE LUCKY.
DAMN, JUNKO'S IN THE LINE OF SIGHT.
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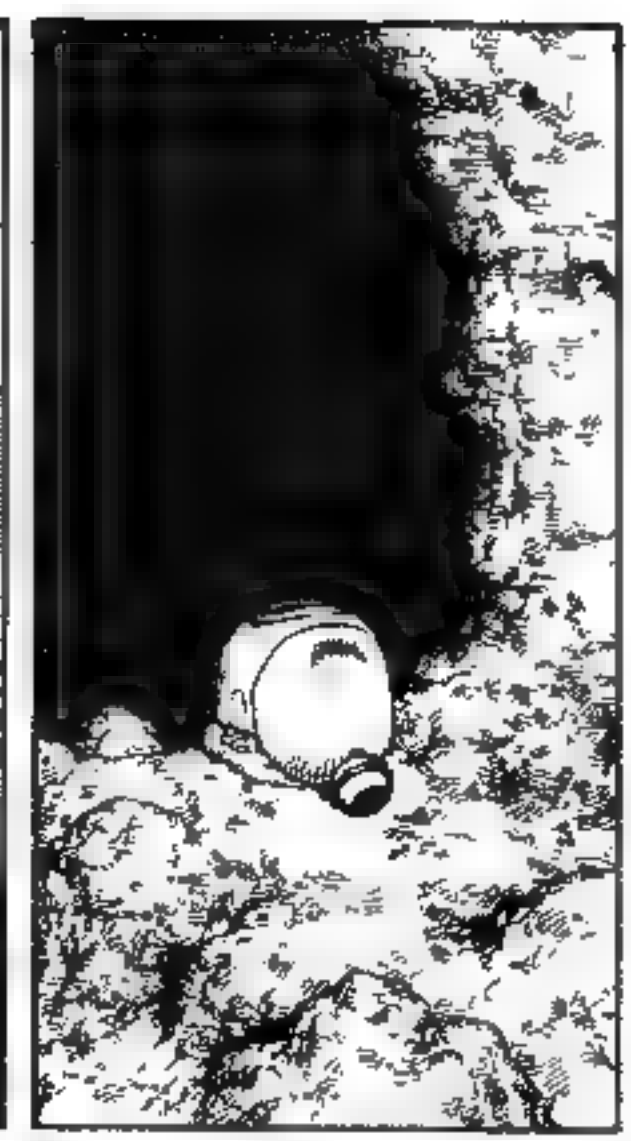
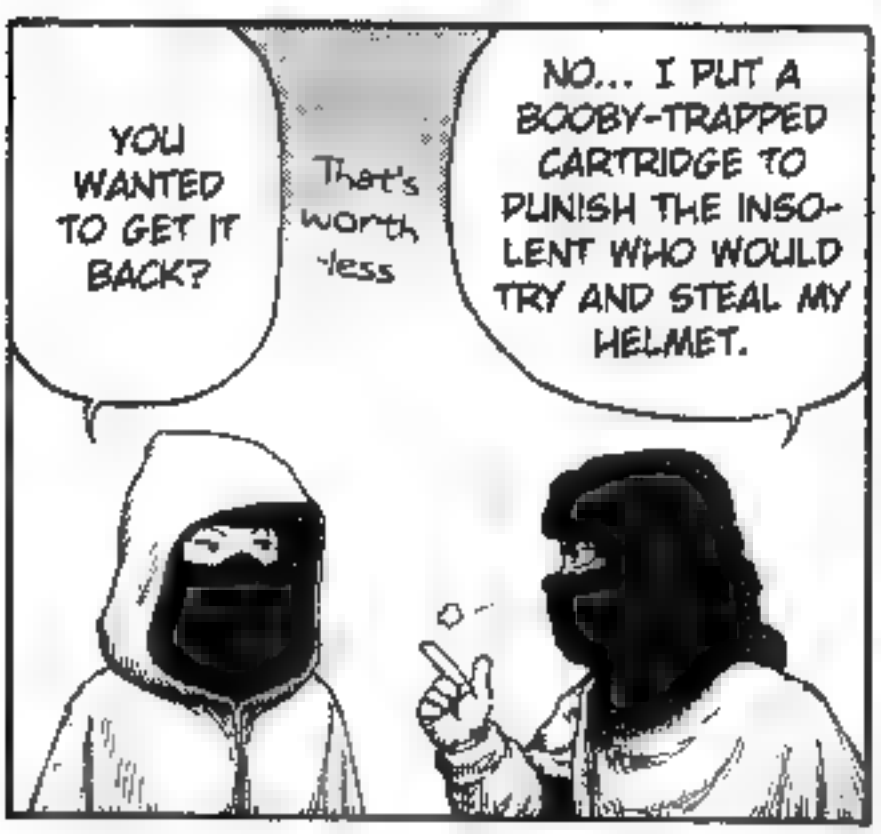
WHO WILL YOU USE THIS TIME?

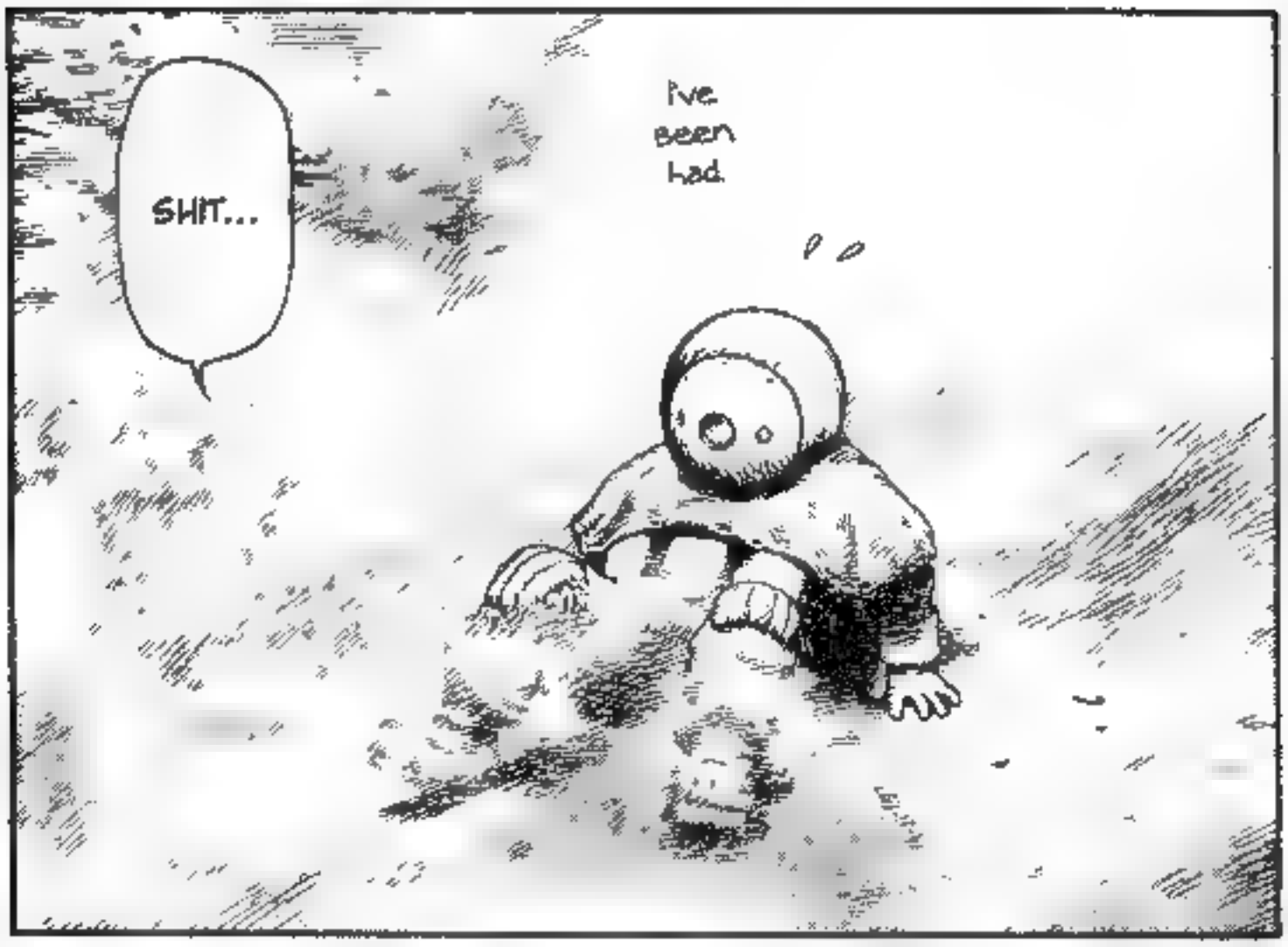
JUNKO ASAGIRI...



HE TOOK THE BAIT. IN THE END, HE'S AN IDIOT.


YOU WANTED TO GET IT BACK?
That's worth less
NO... I PUT A BOOBY-TRAPPED CARTRIDGE TO PUNISH THE INSOLENT WHO WOULD TRY AND STEAL MY HELMET.

YOU'RE SUCH A CHEAP-SKATE.
CRAP, I SHOULD'VE PLANTED A REAL BOMB.
DAMN, HE'S MOVING.


SHIT...
I've been had.

OK, WE BETTER GET A HEAD START.

WE RAN FOR HOURS IN EVERY DIRECTIONS AND WE RETRACED OUR STEPS.
I GUESS SO.
DID WE SHAKE HIM OFF?

NOT SO SURE...

IT ALLOWS US TO RE-ESTABLISH OUR POSITION.

MAYBE IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO GET RID OF HIM.

WE DID EVERYTHING WE COULD DURING THE WHOLE WEEK TO LEAVE HIM BEHIND.

HOWEVER...

IT'S THE NORTH OASIS DESERT EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURER.

DOES THE NAME KASEI UZUMAKI RING A BELL?

.....

YOU'RE SURE YOU TOLD ME EVERYTHING YOU KNOW?

THAT PERSON CALLED ON ME TO HELP HIM GET THE DATA BACK.

I KNOW SOMEONE AT UZUMAKI'S...

OH, INDUSTRIAL ESPIONAGE!

SOME ULTRA CONFIDENTIAL DATA WERE STOLEN FROM THEM.

UZUMAKI'S ENGINEERS WERE WORKING ON A NEW TECHNOLOGY DISCOVERED DURING SOME DIG BEHIND THE BACK OF THE GOVERNMENT.

SOME PROHIBITED MERCHAN-DISE?

COULD IT BE...

INSTEAD OF GOING TO THE POLICE?

WHY DID HE ASK YOU...

THEIR GOAL IS TO SELL THE FINISHED PRODUCT AS THEIR FLAGSHIP ITEM, WHILE KEEPING IT A SECRET FROM THE AUTHORITIES.

THAT'S NOT IT EXACTLY.

SINCE THEY'LL PROBABLY WANT TO USE THIS NEW TECHNOLOGY. THOSE ENGINEERS ARE NAIVE.

THEY'RE TAKING A BIG RISK. IF THE GOVERNMENT GETS WIND OF THIS, THE COMPANY WILL BE LIQUIDATED, WON'T IT?

OBVIOUSLY. I SEE...

I'VE BEEN HELPED BY ONE OF UZUMAKI'S ENGINEERS.

IT WASN'T DIFFICULT TO GET THE CONFIDENTIAL FILES BACK.

HE'S ONE OF THE DESIGNERS OF THE NEW SUIT AND HE'S FOLLOWING ME.

WHAT?! IT'S HER ACCOMPLICE THAT'S AFTER US?!

HE WAS SO HAPPY TO TEST THIS NEW SUIT.

IS THE CONTACT I TALKED ABOUT. HE WORKS IN THE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT.

IN FACT, THE MAN WEARING THE NEW SUIT

NOT AT ALL!

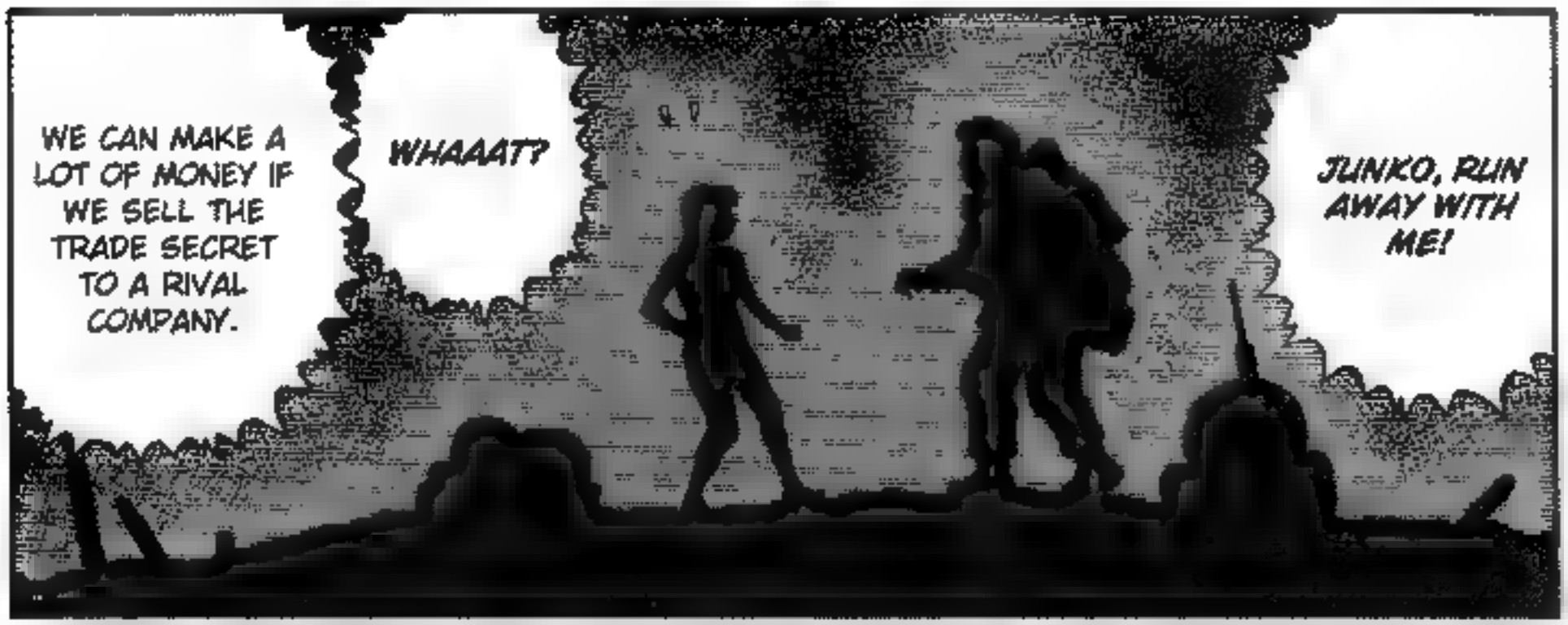
WHAT IF SHE'S THE ONE WHO STOLE THE FILES IN THE FIRST PLACE ? THAT WOULD EXPLAIN EVERYTHING.

That one!

I DIDN'T THINK HE PLANNED ALL THIS!

CONSIDERING THE SITUATION, I FOUND IT STRANGE HOW ENTHUSIASTIC HE WAS.

KASEI UZUMAKI
Research and Development dept.
Seiji Tanigawa

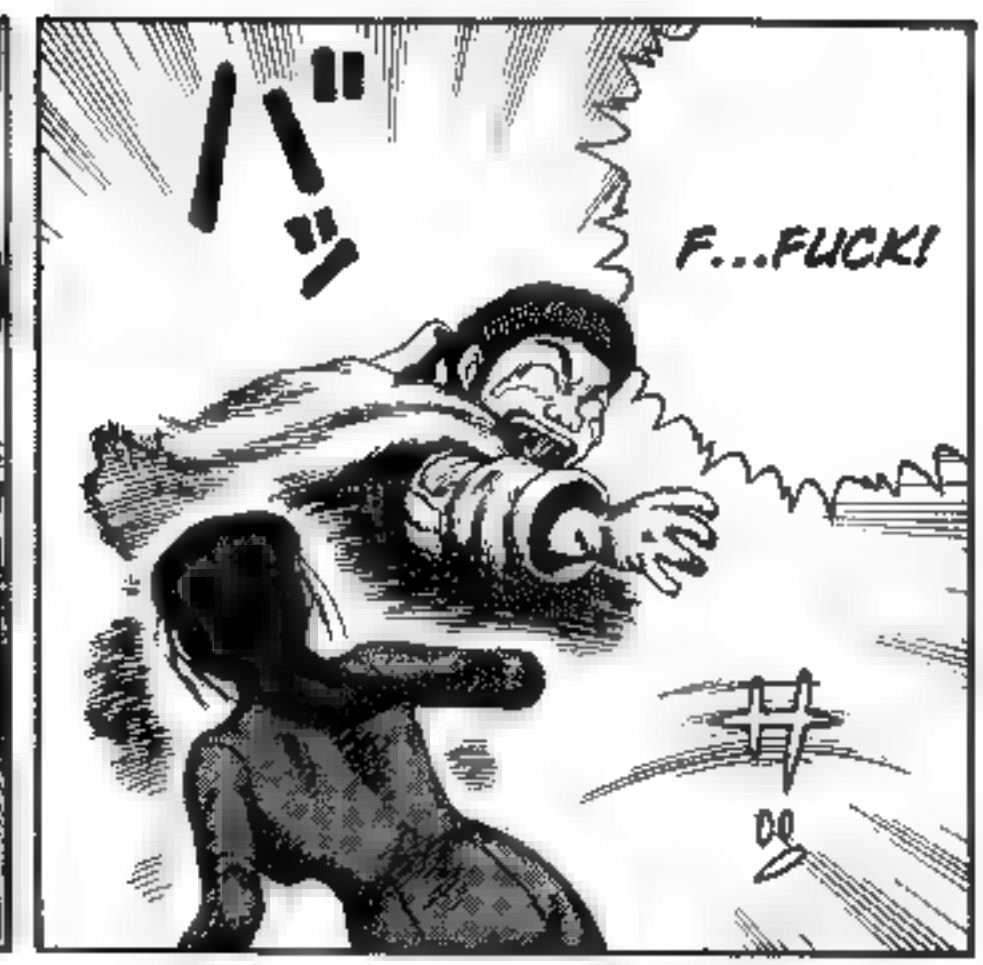


FOR A GUY WHO KNOWS NOTHING LIKE YOU, IT'S CERTAIN DEATH.
AN INDIVIDUAL CAN'T SELL OFF ILLICIT MERCHANDISE.

YOU'RE A JOKE!

IN SHORT, YOU WERE A POTENTIAL INFORMER.
BECAUSE YOU'RE AN ENGINEER IN A BIG COMPANY.
AND SINCE YOU GIVE ME THE OPPORTUNITY, I'LL TELL YOU WHY I CALLED YOU IN.

EXCEPT FOR USING HIM ?
WHY WOULD I BE INTERESTED IN A SCHMUCK WHO QUITTED HIS JOB ?


F...FUCK!

HUUURF...

Briefcase containing the flies

YOU'LL BE MINE, YOU'LL SEE!
DON'T UNDERES-TIMATE ME!

JUNKO!

SINCE THEN HE ARMED HIMSELF, AND NOW HE'S CHASING YOU.

Scary

HE WAS PISSING ME OFF!

How could you call a man in love with you a jerk?

I UNDERSTAND WHY HE'S ANGRY.

SERIOUSLY, YOU DIDN'T NEED TO TREAT HIM THAT BADLY.

Hadn't she said a thing, maybe nothing would have happened.

He's dreaming. It's just impossible.

How can an airhead hope to live with me?

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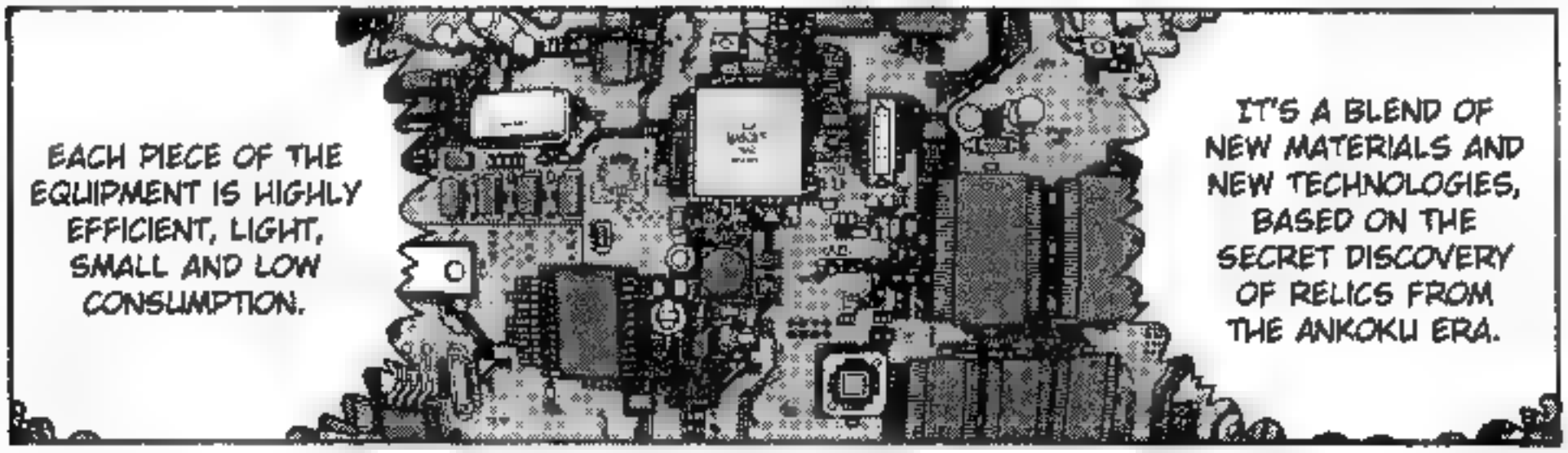
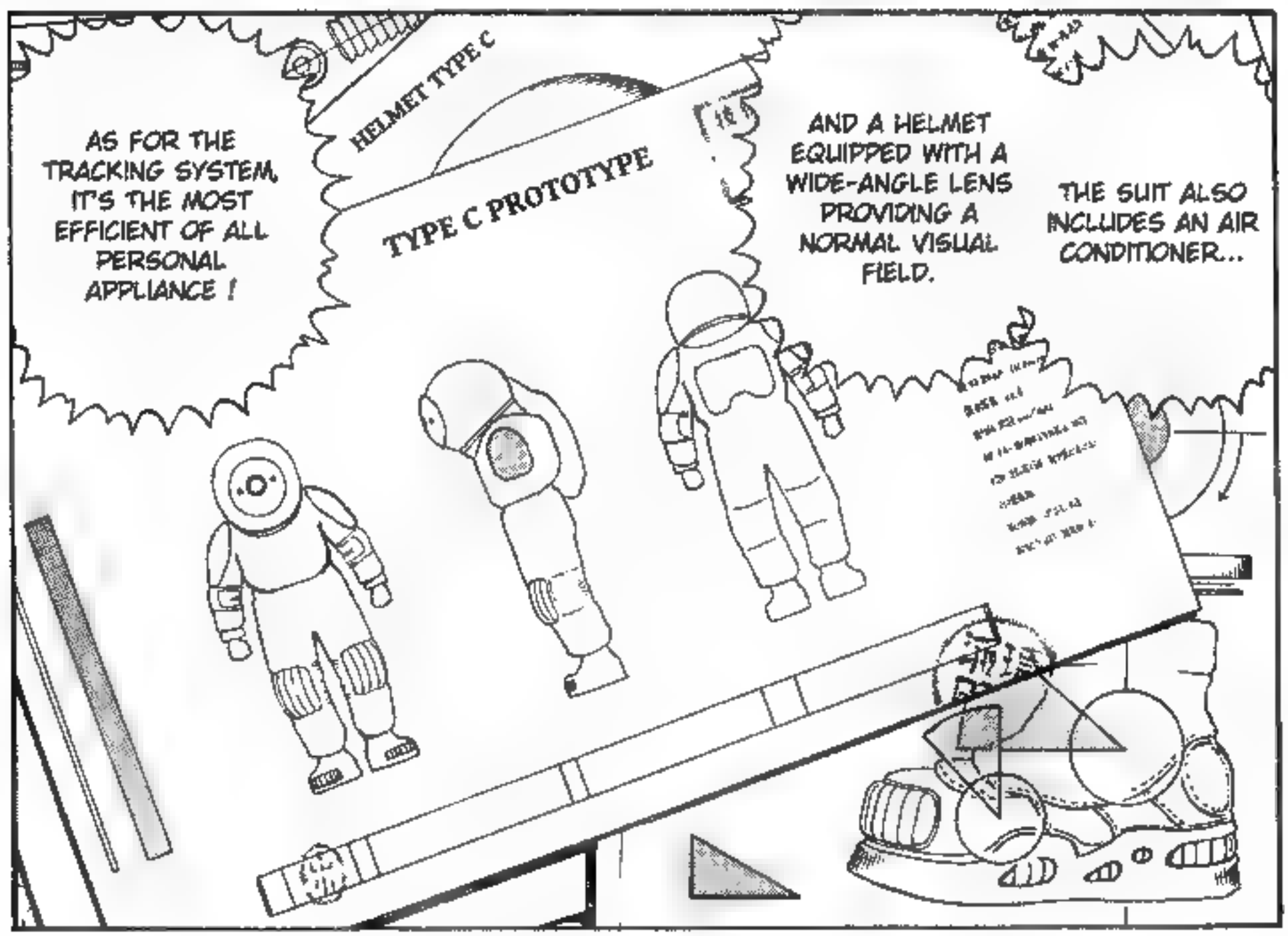
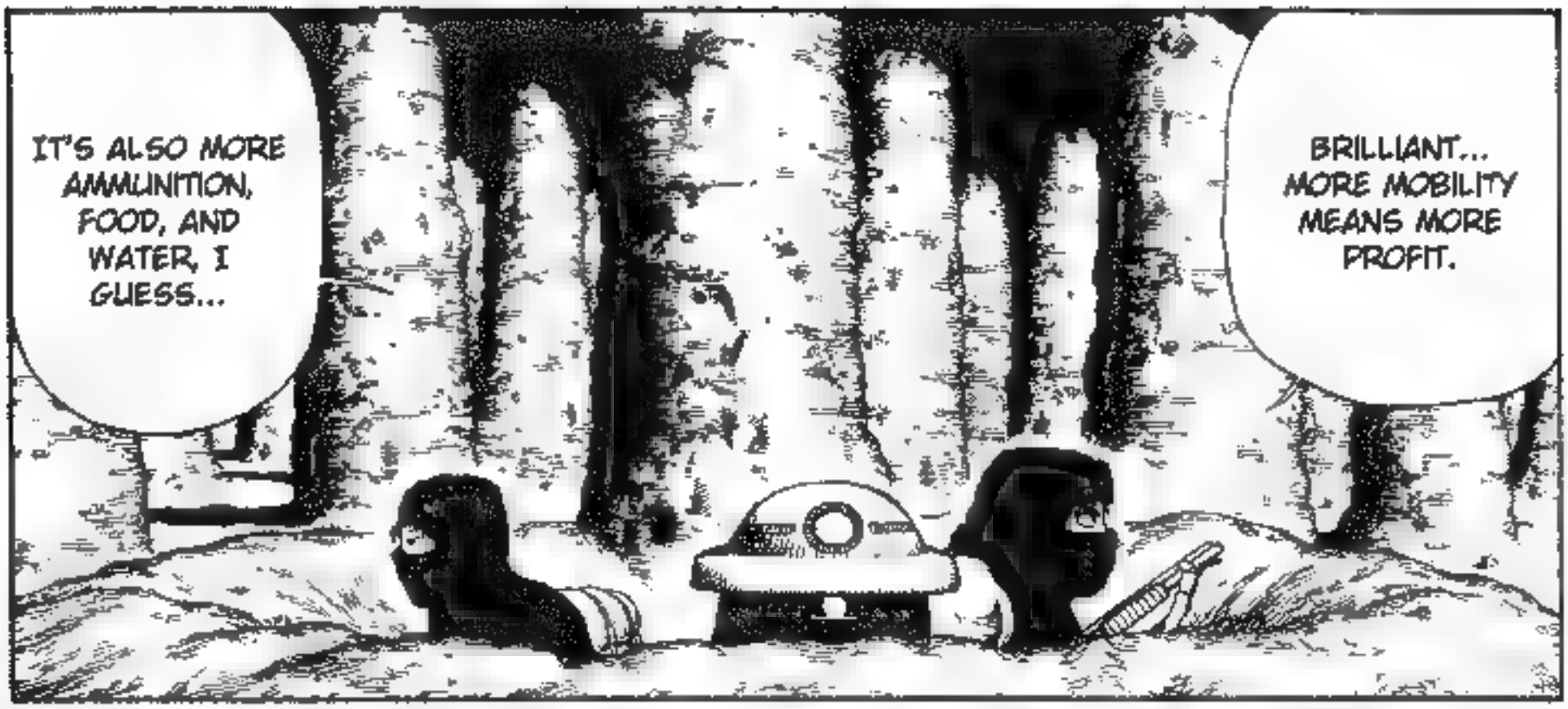
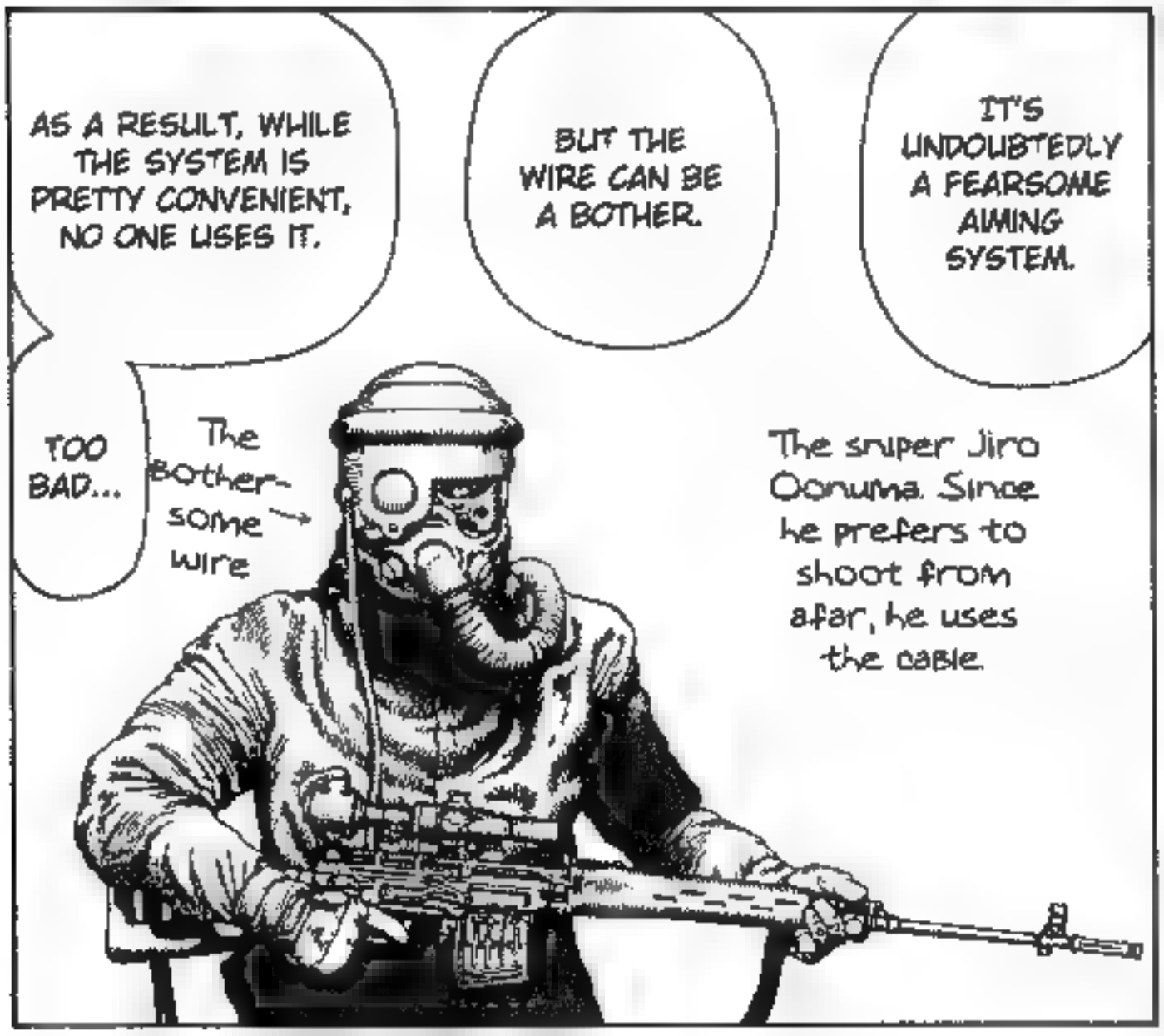
THE "SPECIAL", AKA "FISH EYE"!
THE NEW DESERT SUIT, THE "SPECIAL", ENGINEERED BY THE UZUMAKI COMPANY.


EACH PIECE OF THE EQUIPMENT IS HIGHLY EFFICIENT, LIGHT, SMALL AND LOW CONSUMPTION.
IT'S A BLEND OF NEW MATERIALS AND NEW TECHNOLOGIES, BASED ON THE SECRET DISCOVERY OF RELICS FROM THE ANKOKU ERA.


HELMET TYPE C
TYPE C PROTOTYPE
AS FOR THE TRACKING SYSTEM, IT'S THE MOST EFFICIENT OF ALL PERSONAL APPLIANCE!
AND A HELMET EQUIPPED WITH A WIDE-ANGLE LENS PROVIDING A NORMAL VISUAL FIELD.
THE SUIT ALSO INCLUDES AN AIR CONDITIONER...

THANKS TO A CRYSTAL CREATED BY THE HUMAN GENIUS, THIS SUIT IS VERY LIGHT AND COMFORTABLE TO WEAR DESPITE ITS HEAVY LOOKS.
IT'S TWICE MORE COMFY THAN THE USUAL OUTFIT IN THE SAME CONDITIONS.
24th prototype of the new Type C suit "Fish Eye" tested in the field.





* - SYSTEM ALLOWING TO AIM FROM THE HELMET

IT'S A NEW TECHNOLOGY, ISN'T IT?

AND IF IT DOESN'T USE RADIO WAVES...

Screen view

THERE USED TO BE A WIRELESS MODEL, BUT IT EVENTUALLY DISAPPEARED BECAUSE IT WAS USELESS IN CASE OF JAMMING OR MAGNETIC STORM.

SO, HE'S WITHOUT WIRE.

The target is marked with a dot.

The data is fed to the helmet

Scope

Aim tuning

If the rifle is equipped with the scope, it's ok.

AND THE ABILITY TO SHOOT FROM SHORT DISTANCE AS WELL AS FROM AFAR?

BETTER MOBILITY, A TRACKING SYSTEM EQUIVALENT TO THAT OF A SENTINEL, AN ANTI-DAZZLE SYSTEM...

IN SHORT, THE BEST OF THE BEST.

A PSG-1 WITH A 20 CARTRIDGES MAGAZINE.

AND HIS WEAPON ?

GULP!

I CAN'T PROMISE YOU ANYTHING BEFORE IT'S DONE.

I don't understand

WE'LL SEE.

!

IF I TAKE THIS GUY DOWN, WILL YOU FALL IN LOVE WITH ME?

HMM...

YOU'RE GONNA TAKE CARE OF HIM, AREN'T YOU?

IT'S GONNA FREEZE SOON. WE WON'T BE ABLE TO STAY WARM.
WE'RE ON OUR LAST BATTERY TOO.
WE DON'T HAVE ANY MORE AMMO.
It's alright for me... I've got a special suit for the night that protects against the cold
Well, I'm already freezing.
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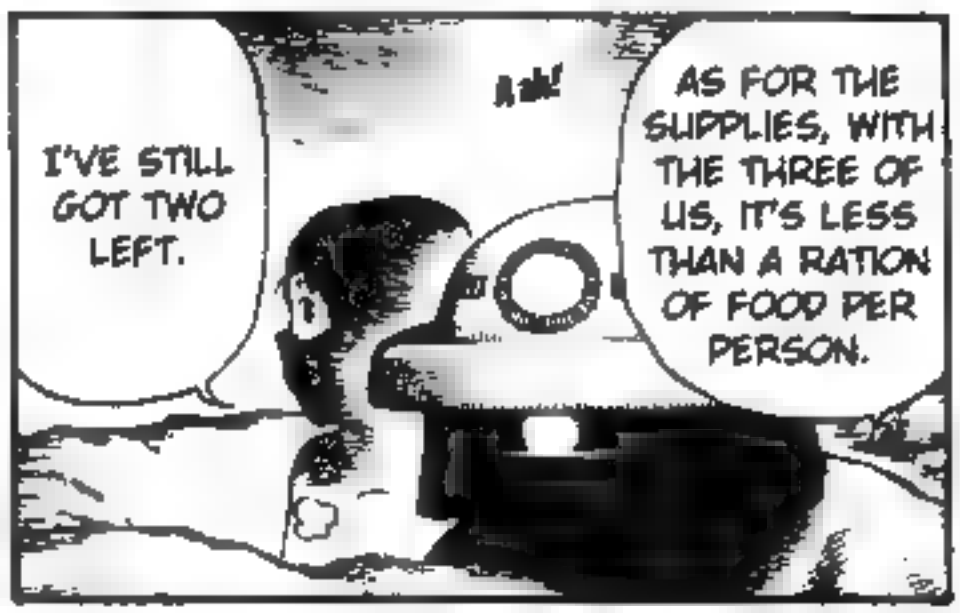
I'M THE ONLY ONE TO BE ON THE LOOKOUT!
SERIOUSLY, YOU SUCK!

SO IT'S 1.4 RATION PER PERSON.
KNOWING HER, SHE MUST HAVE HIDDEN AT LEAST ONE.

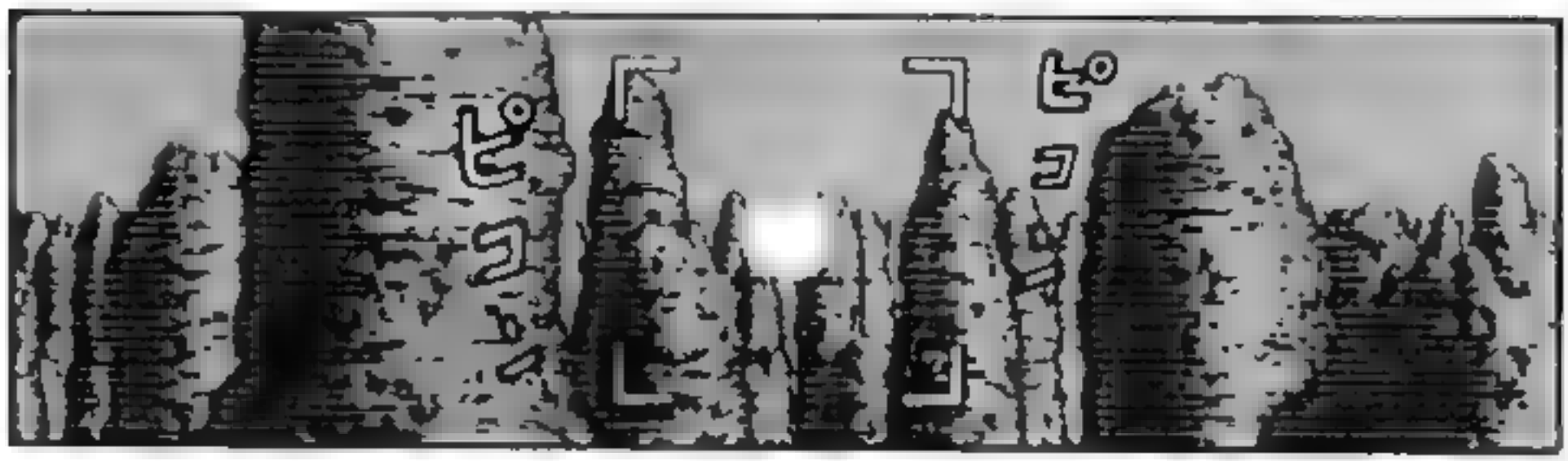

I'VE STILL GOT TWO LEFT.
AS FOR THE SUPPLIES, WITH THE THREE OF US, IT'S LESS THAN A RATION OF FOOD PER PERSON.

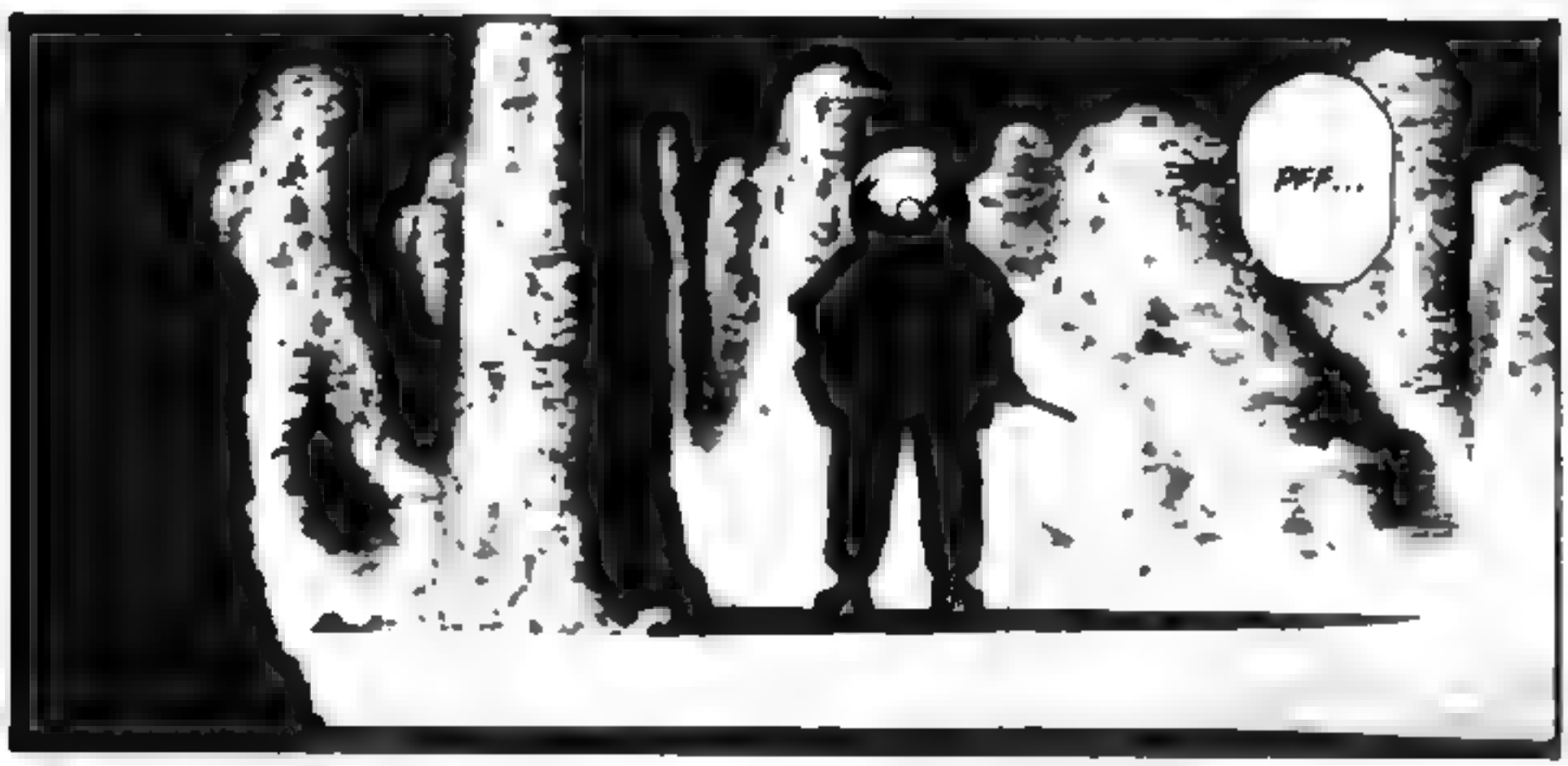
THAT'S A PROBLEM.
IT'S... GOING TO TAKE THAT LONG?

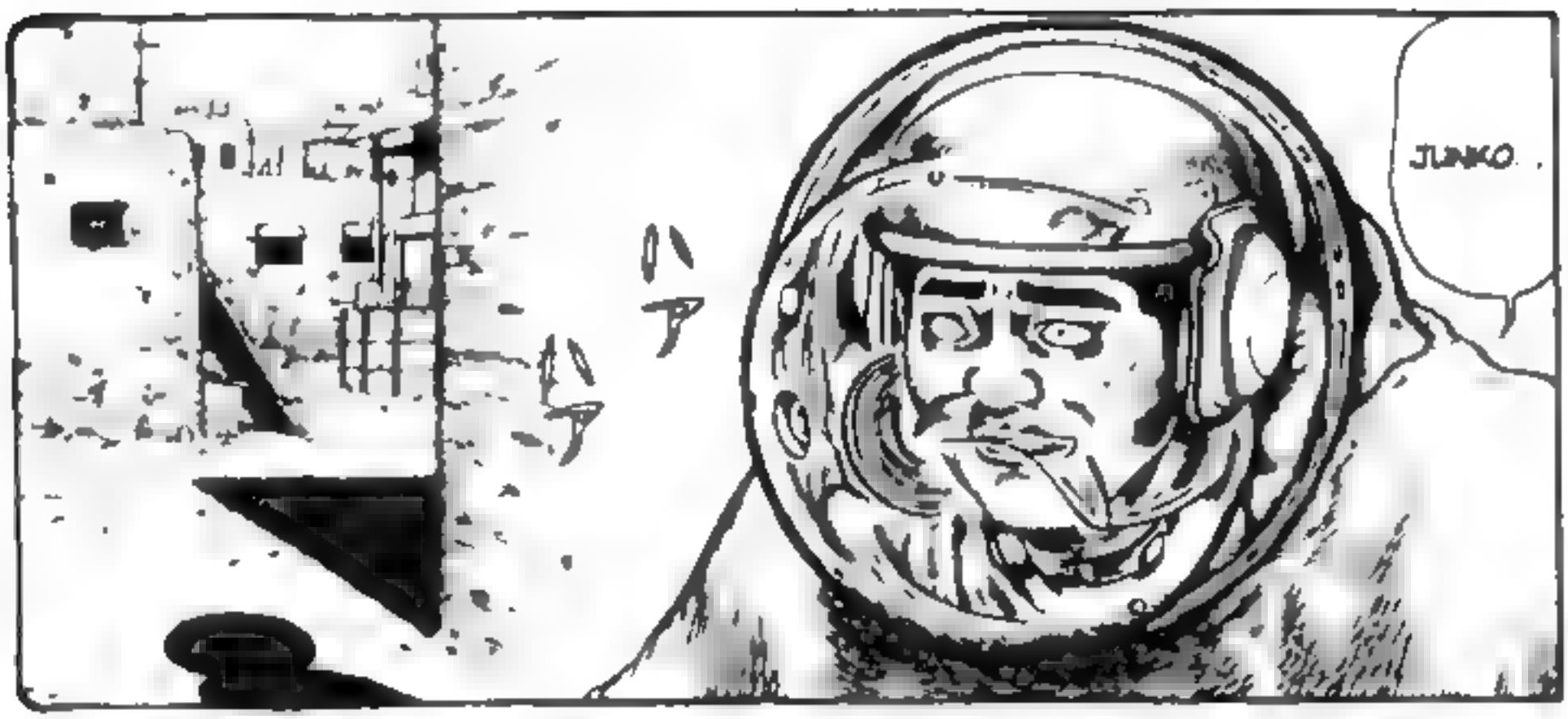
IT'S GONNA BE HARD TO KEEP THIS UP FOR A WEEK.

NO MATTER HOW FAR WE GO...

THIS GUY WILL ALWAYS BE ON OUR HEELS.



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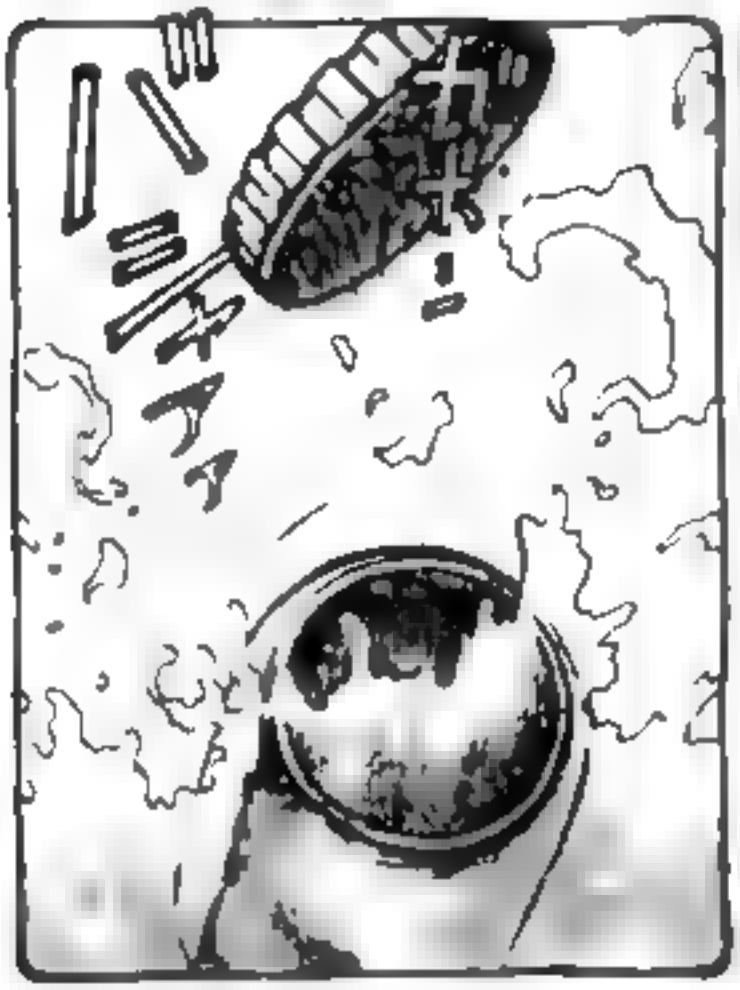

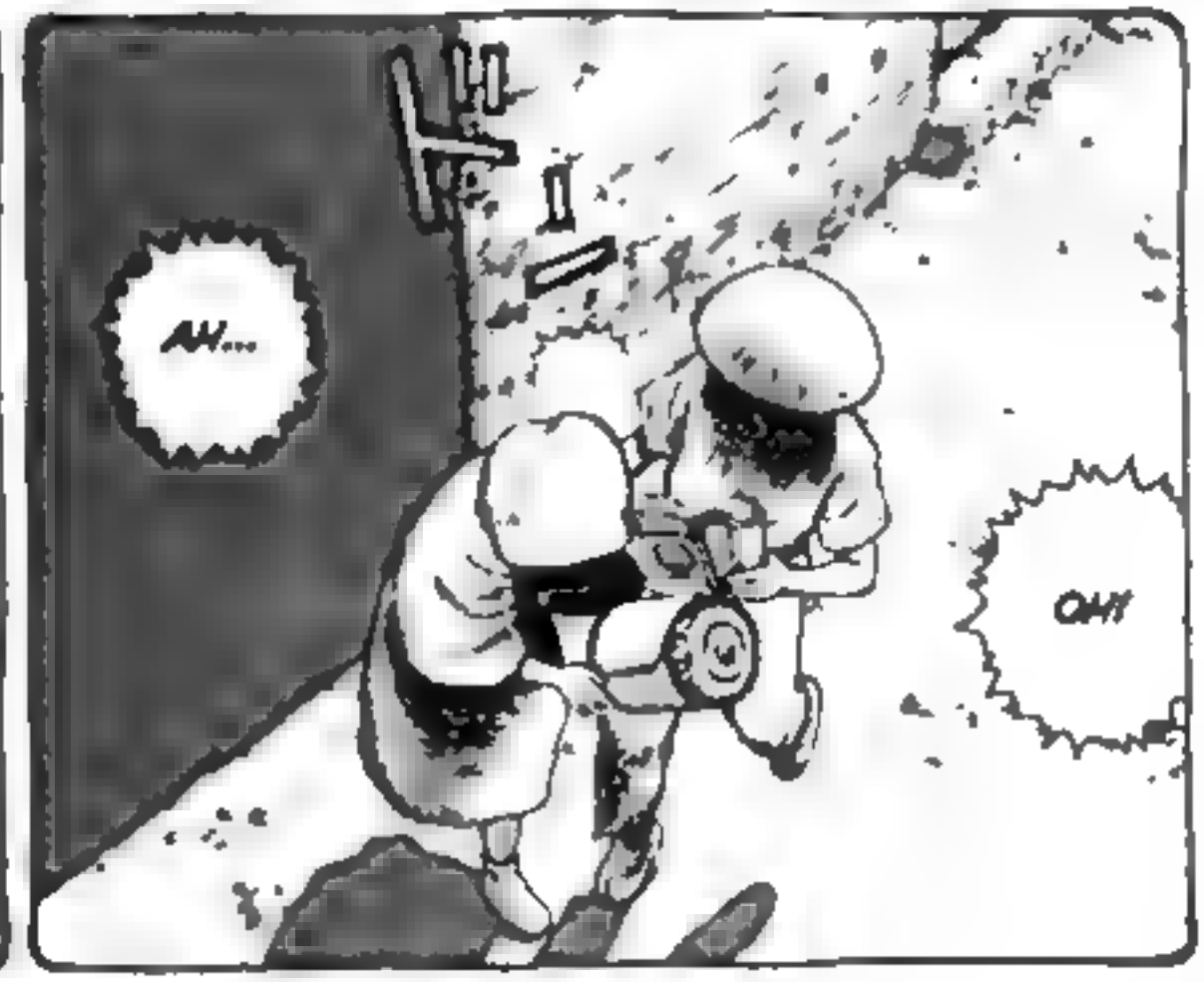
AH...
OH!

ARE YOU ALRIGHT?
I'M SORRY.

WHAT'S MORE...

OOH... SHE'S SO BEAUTIFUL!

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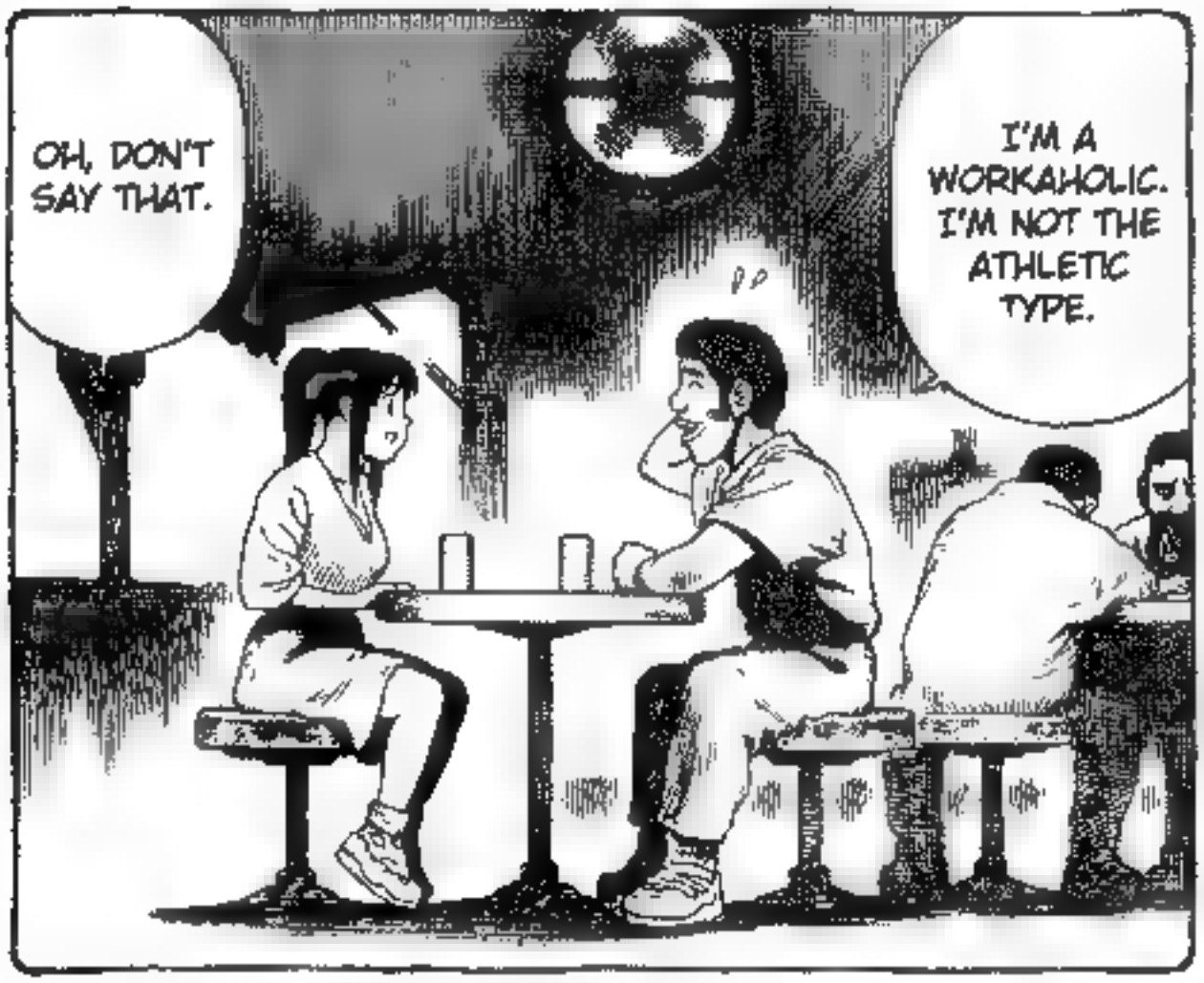
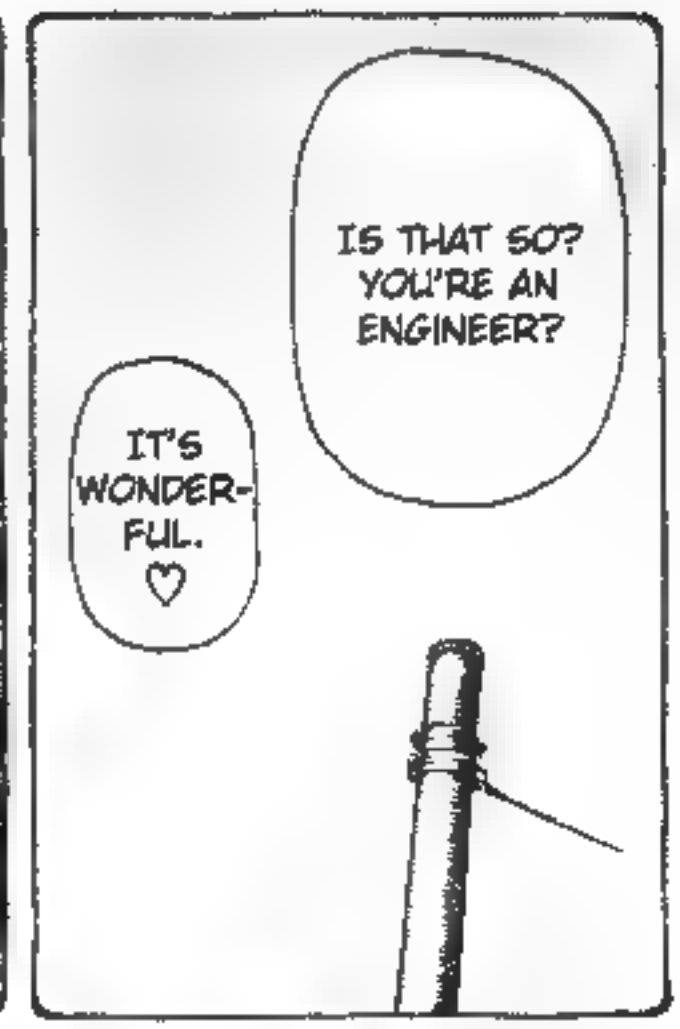
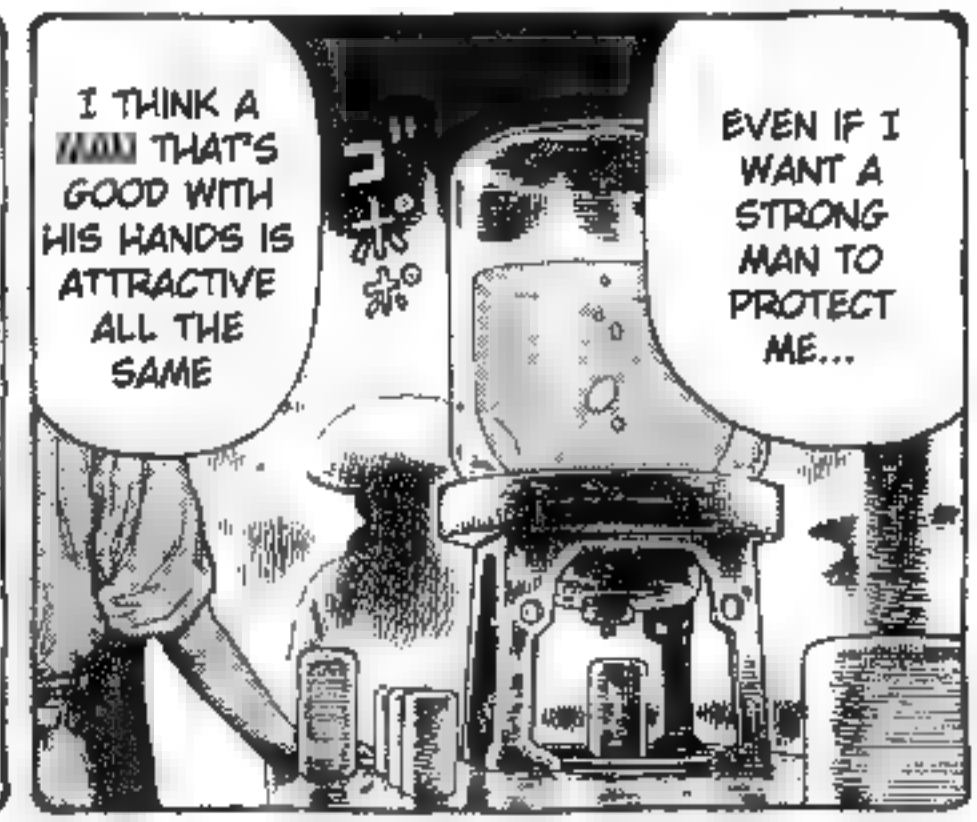

OH, DON'T SAY THAT.
I'M A WORKAHOLIC. I'M NOT THE ATHLETIC TYPE.


IS THAT SO? YOU'RE AN ENGINEER?
IT'S WONDER-FUL. ♡

I'M IMPRESSED.
YOU KNOW ..


I THINK A [redacted] THAT'S GOOD WITH HIS HANDS IS ATTRACTIVE ALL THE SAME
EVEN IF I WANT A STRONG MAN TO PROTECT ME...

YOU'RE GREAT!

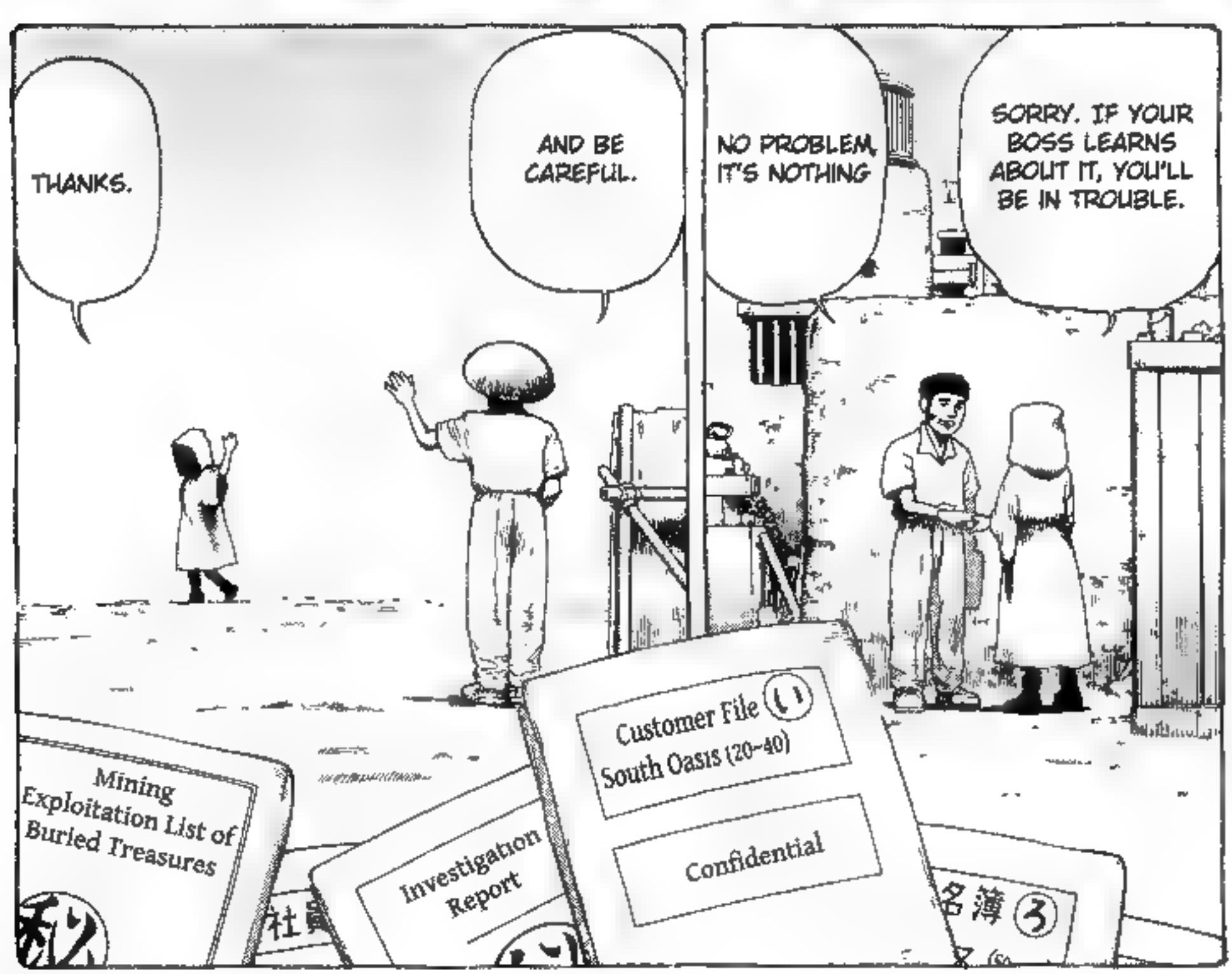
Oh!

IT'S NOTHING ...
OOH, SEIJI, IT'S WONDERFUL THAT YOU DO MANUAL WORK.
HEHE!

GEE, A BEAUTIFUL GIRL LIKE YOU DOING SUCH A DANGEROUS JOB ..
I'M SORRY I KEPT THIS FROM YOU UNTIL NOW. THE TRUTH IS, I ACCEPT ALMOST ANY JOB AS LONG AS IT'S LEGAL.
SERIOUSLY?! YOU'RE A MERC?!

IN THE HARSH KANTO DESERT.
A WOMAN ON HER OWN MUST BE PREPARED TO ANYTHING IN ORDER TO SURVIVE...

JUNKO...


THANKS.
AND BE CAREFUL.
NO PROBLEM, IT'S NOTHING
SORRY. IF YOUR BOSS LEARNS ABOUT IT, YOU'LL BE IN TROUBLE.
Mining Exploitation List of Buried Treasures
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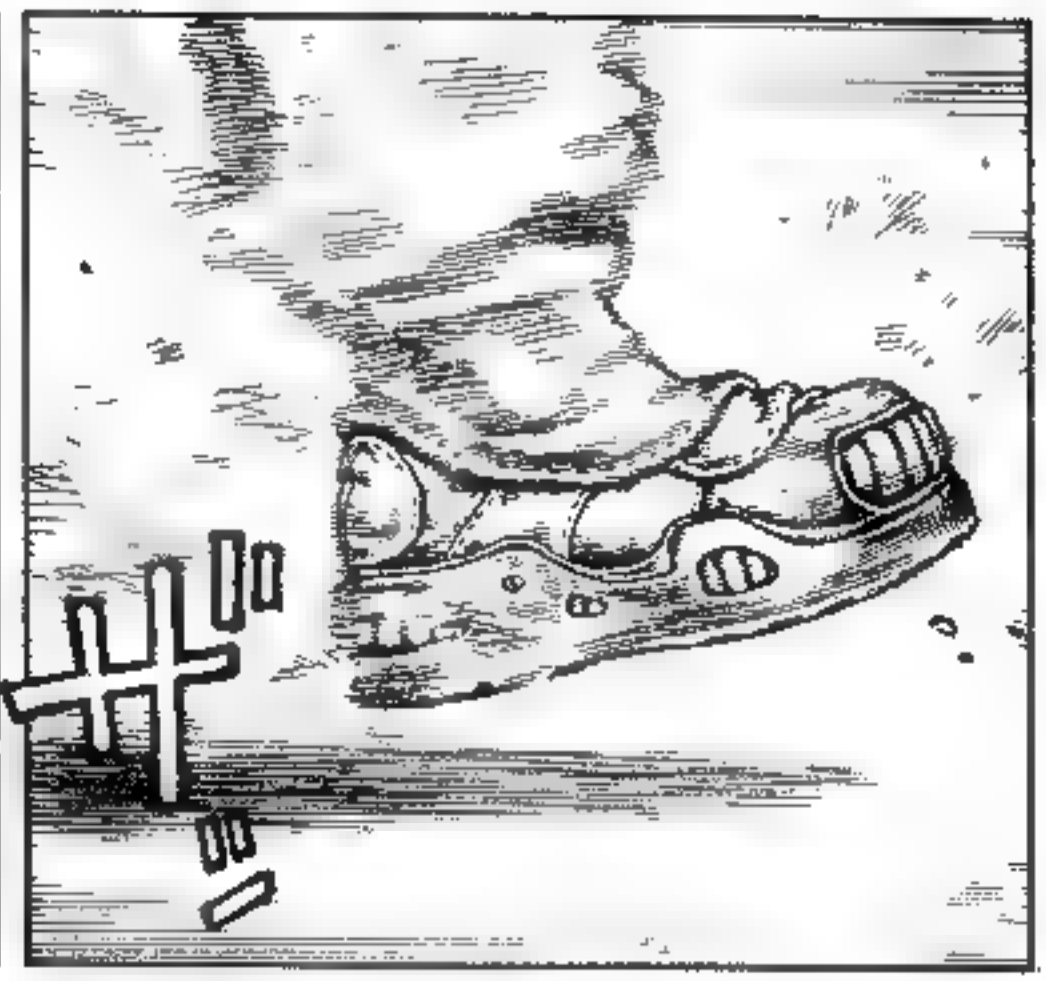
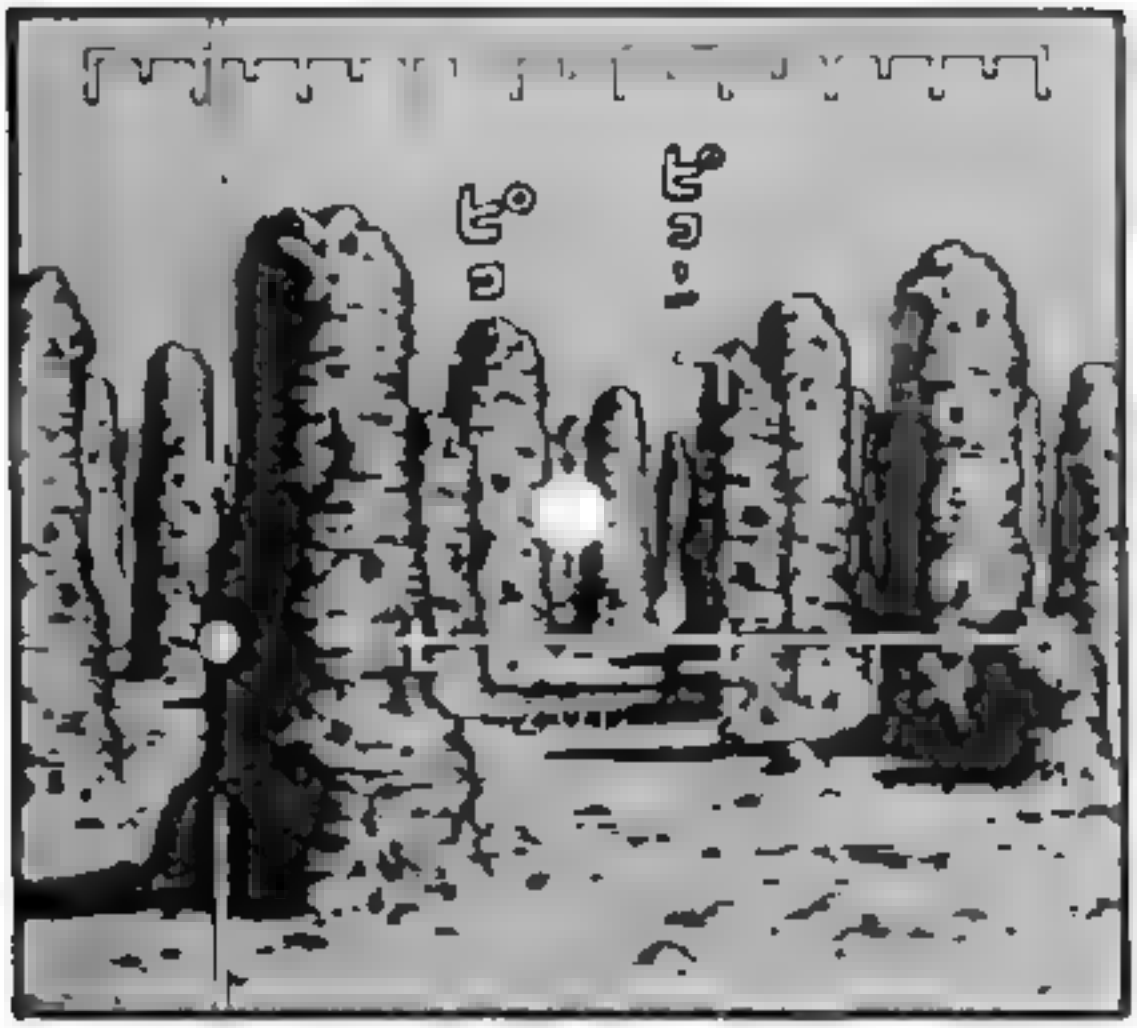
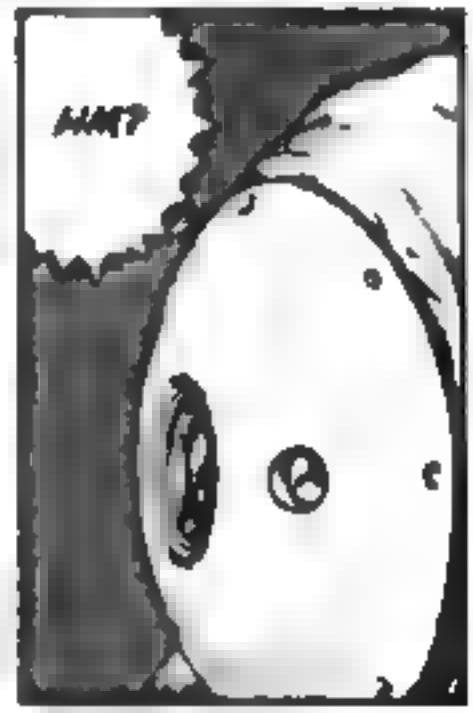
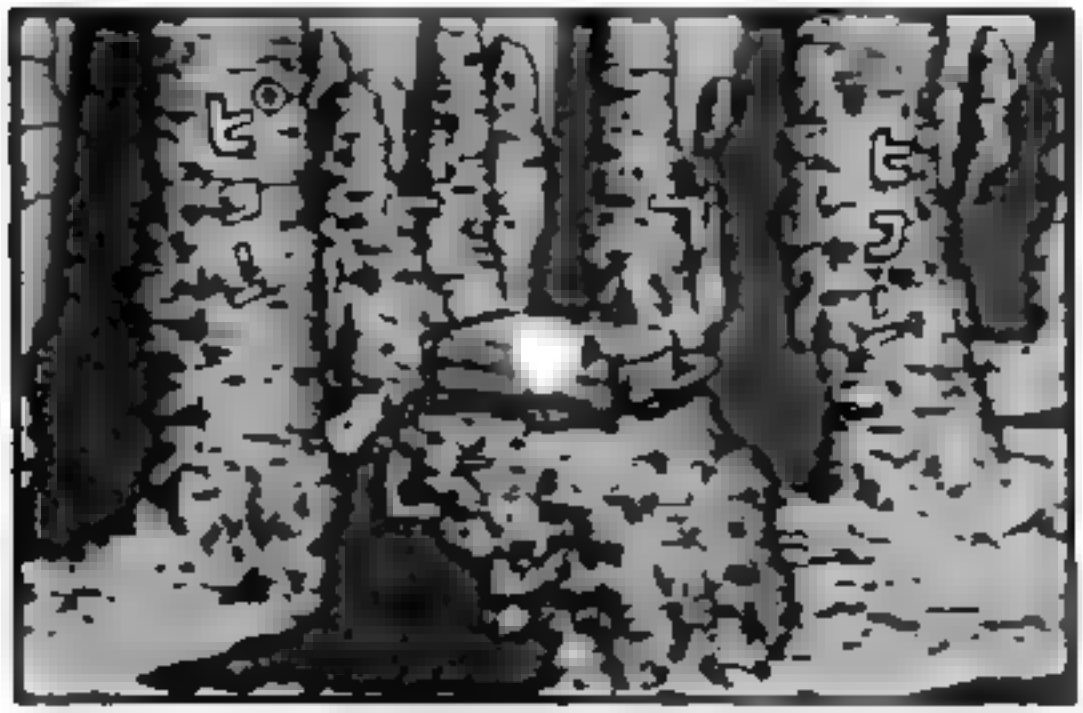


I USED YOU.

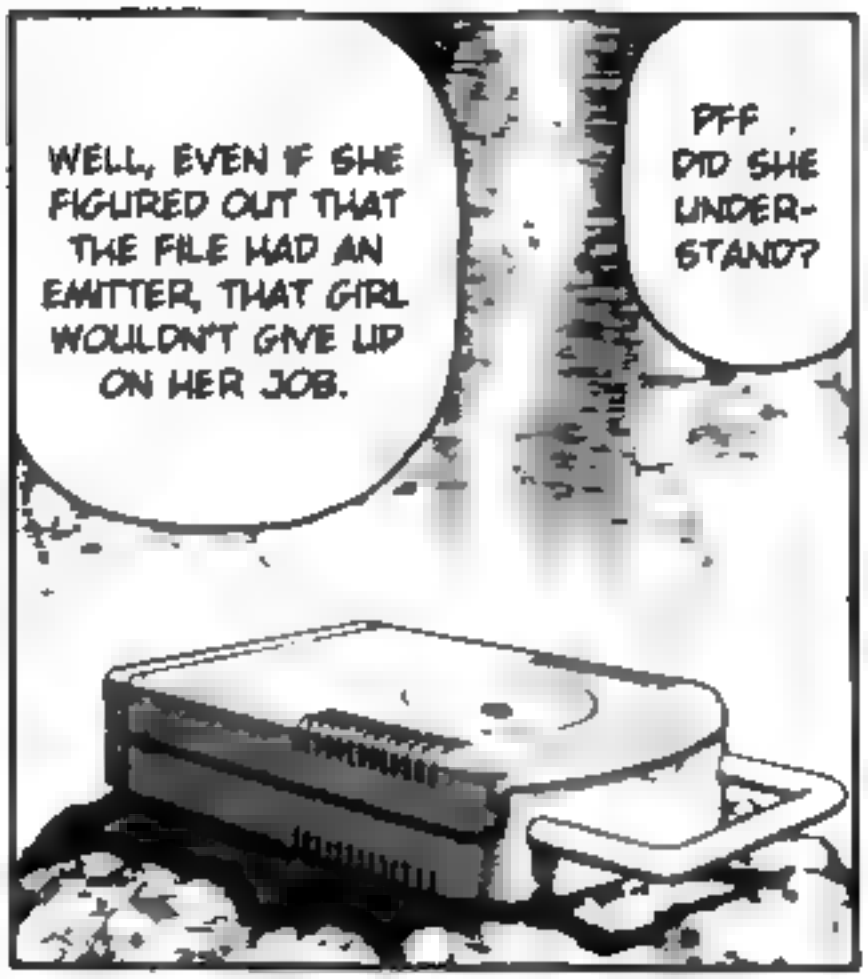
WHAT WOULD I DO WITH A SCHMUCK WHO'S LOST HIS JOB?

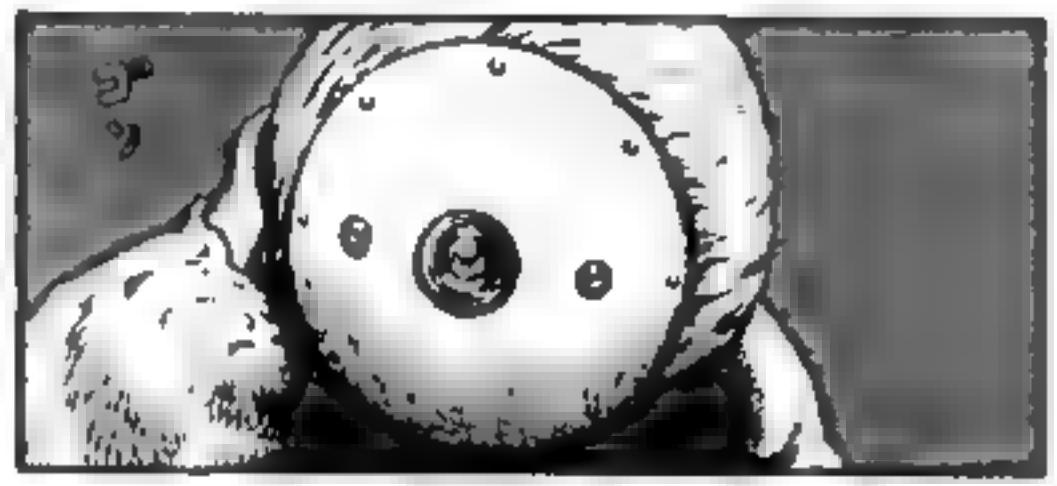






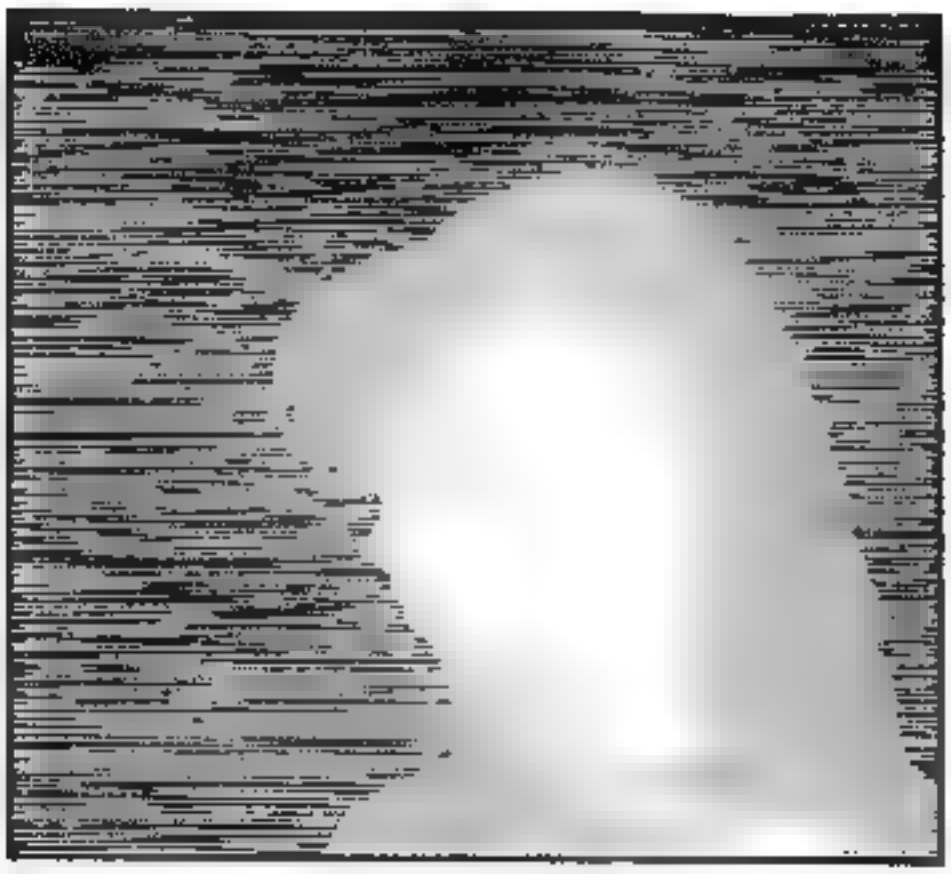
HE'S ZOOMING!



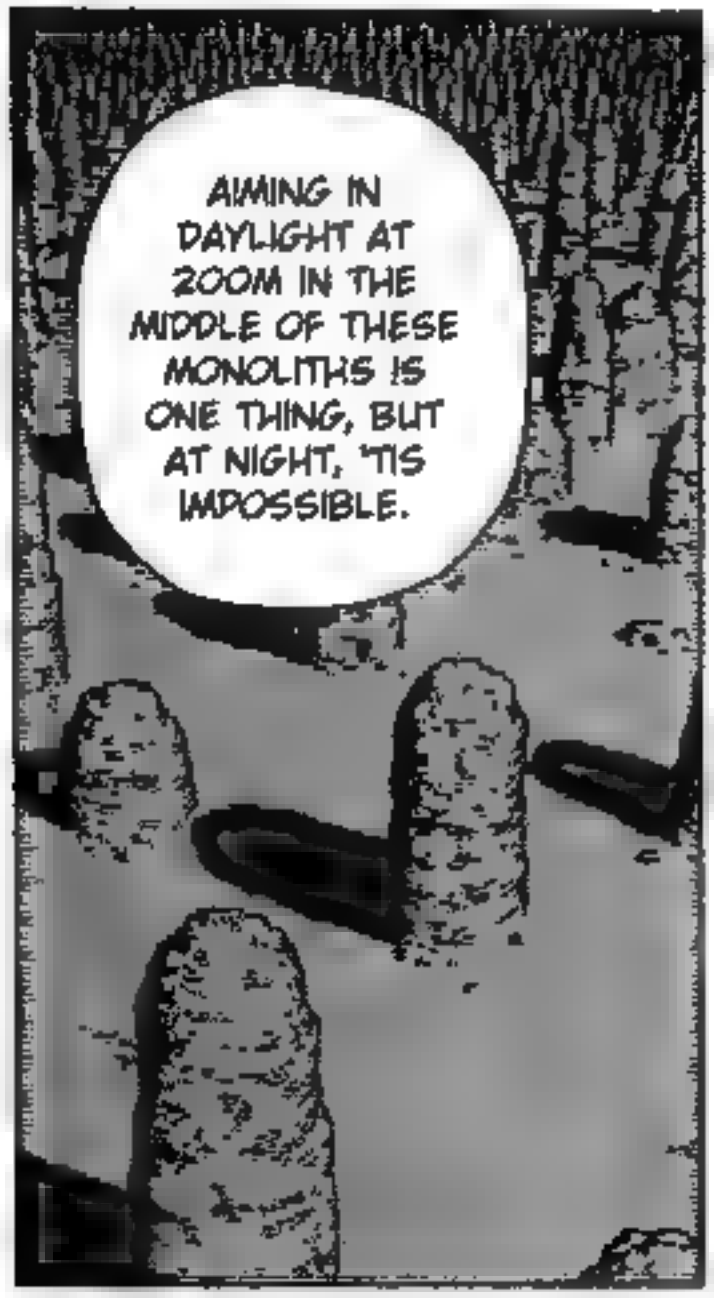


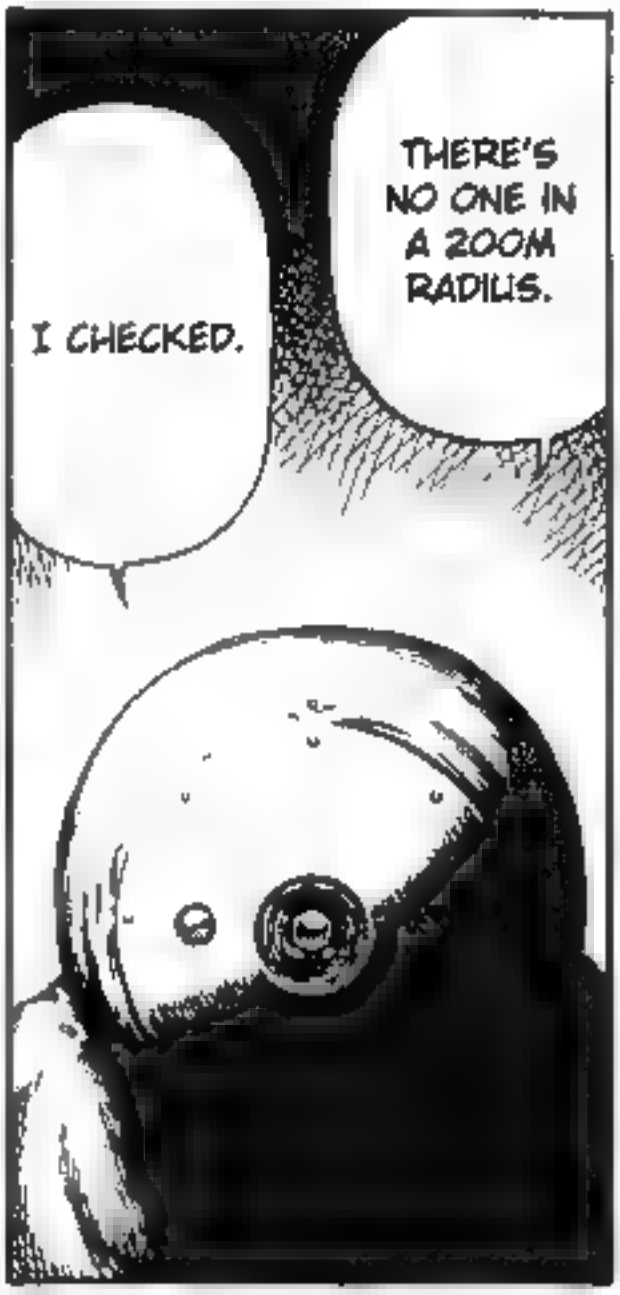
Turning the tracking system on

PFF...



WHERE ARE YOUR ACCOMPLICES?
SO, YOU'RE FINALLY SHOWING UP.


AIMING IN DAYLIGHT AT 200M IN THE MIDDLE OF THESE MONOLITHS IS ONE THING, BUT AT NIGHT, 'TIS IMPOSSIBLE.


I CHECKED.
THERE'S NO ONE IN A 200M RADIUS.

AND THEY'RE AIMING AT YOUR HEAD RIGHT NOW.
THEY'RE IN HIDING.

HAD YOU WAITED THE MORNING, YOU COULD HAVE SHOT FROM A DISTANCE JUST LIKE YESTERDAY, NO?

I HAD THE FEELING IT WOULDN'T WORK.

THAT'S WHY I DARED TO COME IN THE OPEN.

UH... YES.

THEY'RE THE ONES WHO FOUND THE TRANSMITTER, RIGHT?

IT SEEMS YOUR FRIENDS ARE QUITE GOOD.

IT WASN'T YOUR IDEA.

I FEARED FOR THE FILES... I DIDN'T THINK THE HELMET WOULD BE BOOBY--TRAPPED.

THEY'RE FROM THE TERRIBLE KANTO DESERT.

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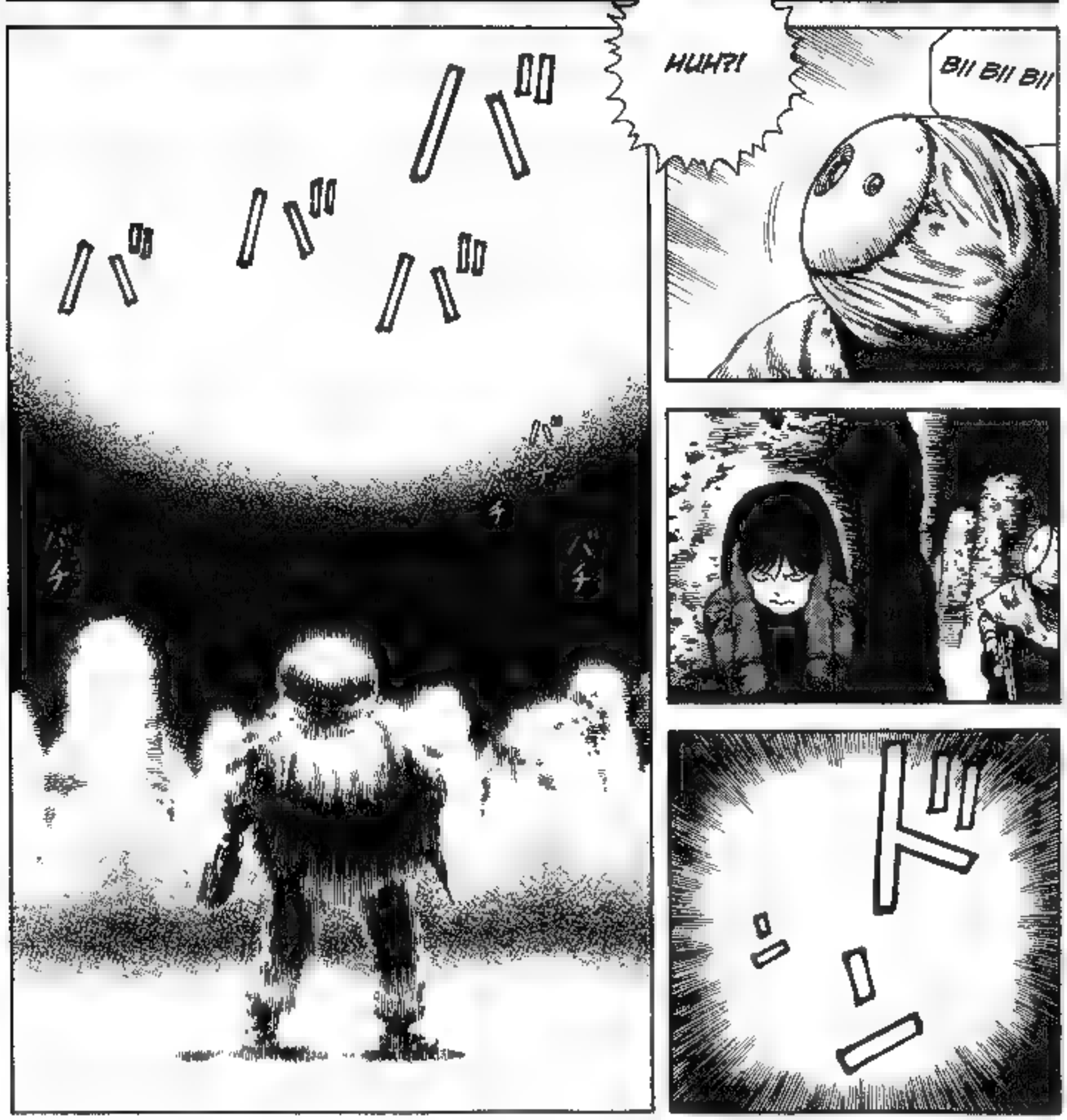
EVEN ME, I TRY NOT TO STAY CLOSE TO THEM.

THEY'RE RUTHLESS.


HUH?!
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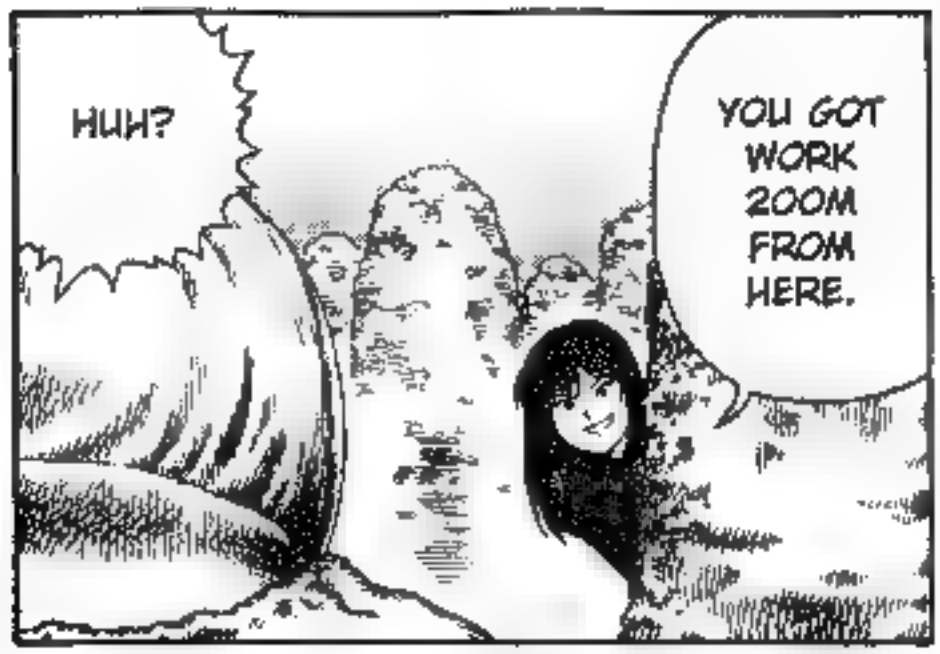
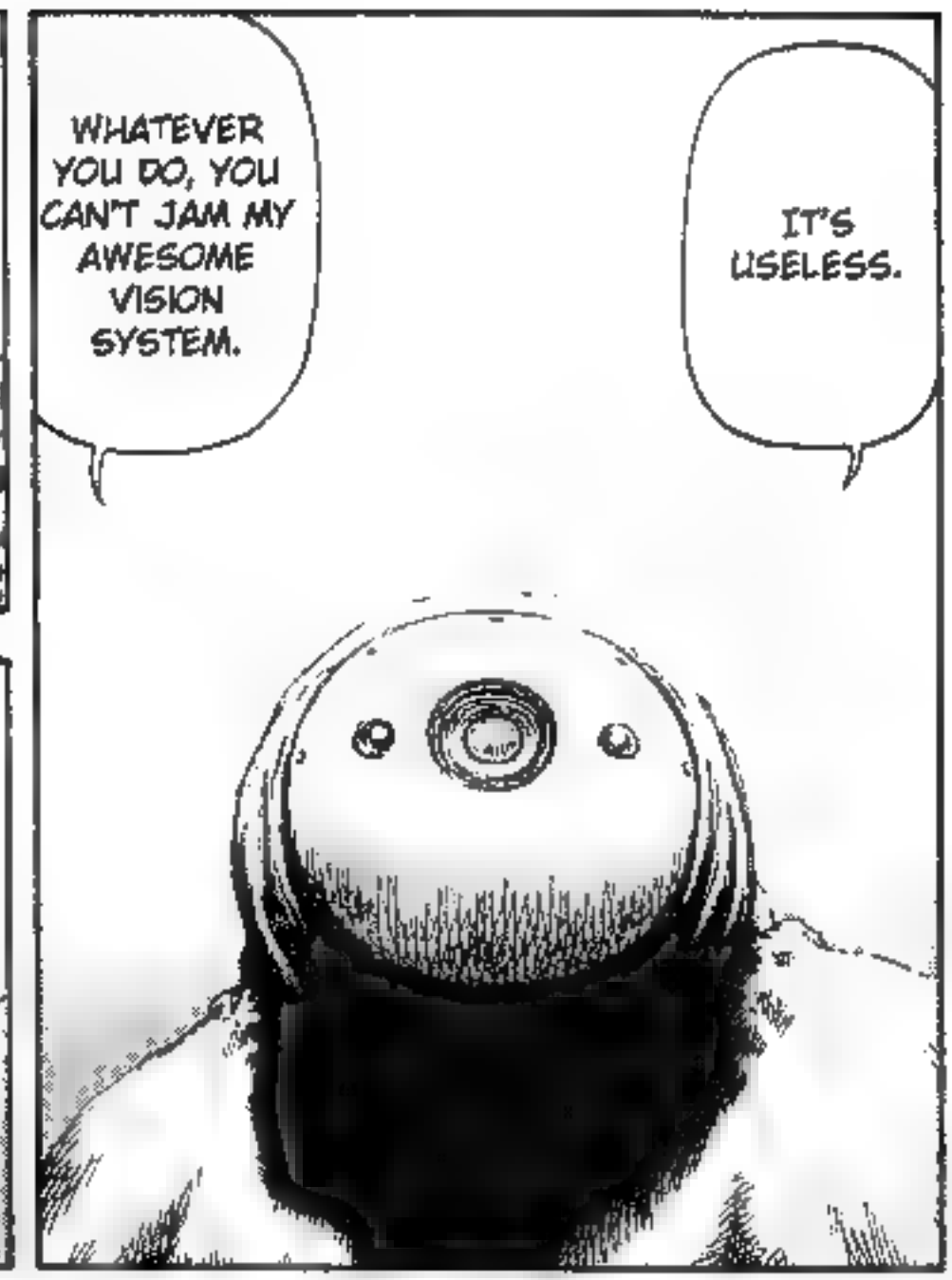
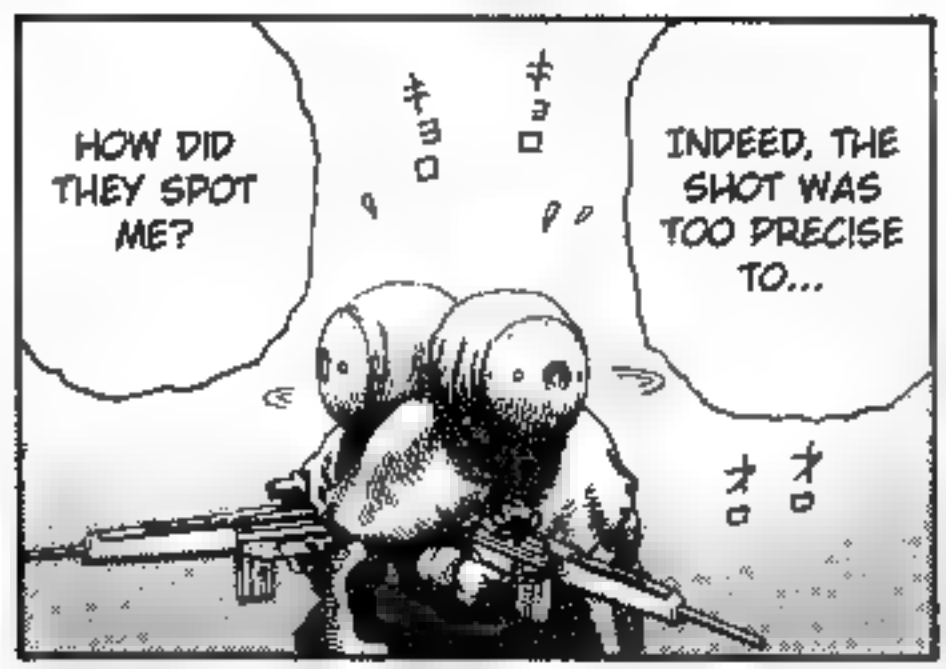
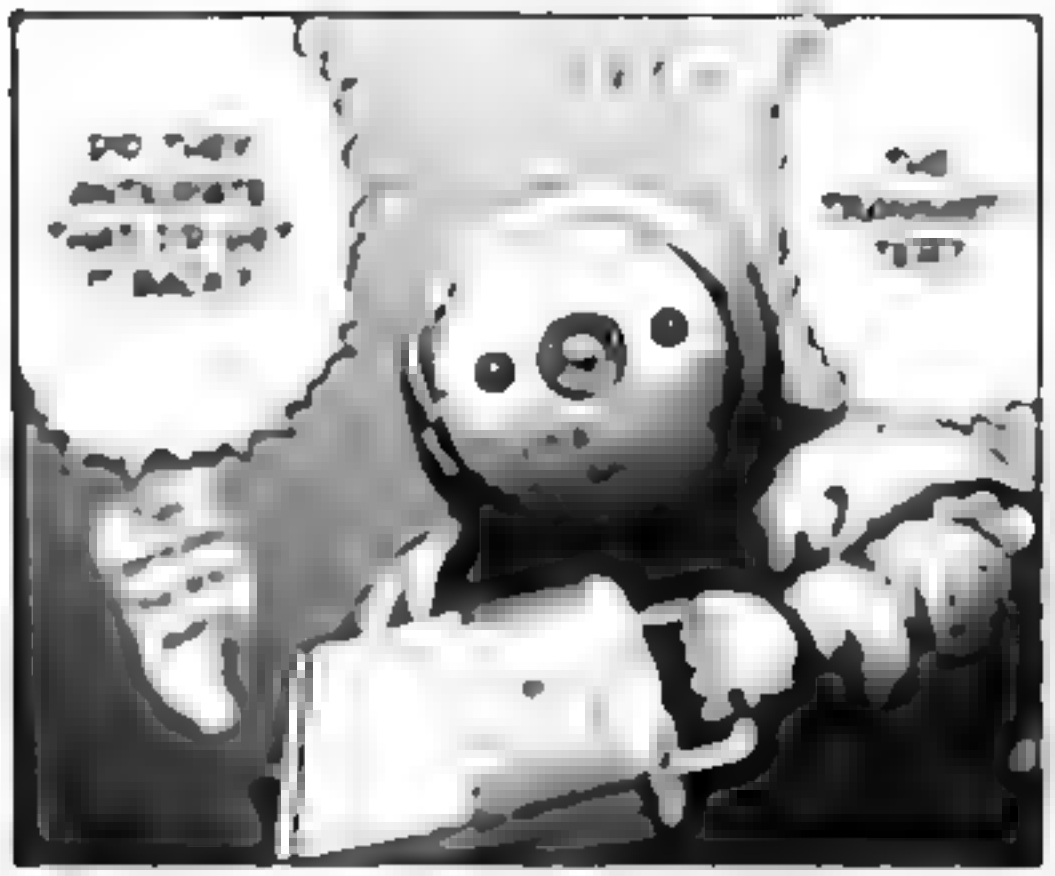
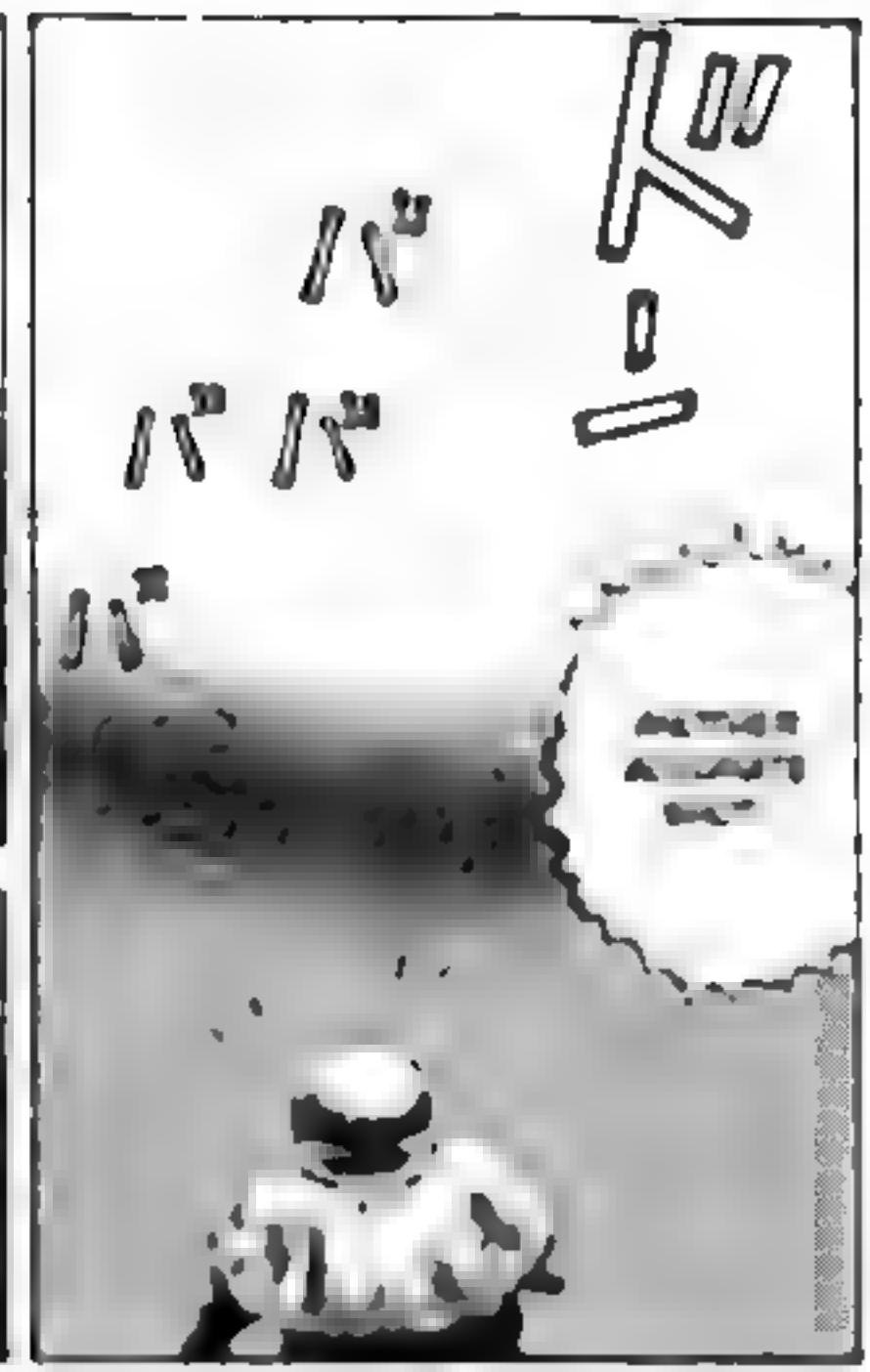

HUH?
YOU GOT WORK 200M FROM HERE.


WHATEVER YOU DO, YOU CAN'T JAM MY AWESOME VISION SYSTEM.
IT'S USELESS.

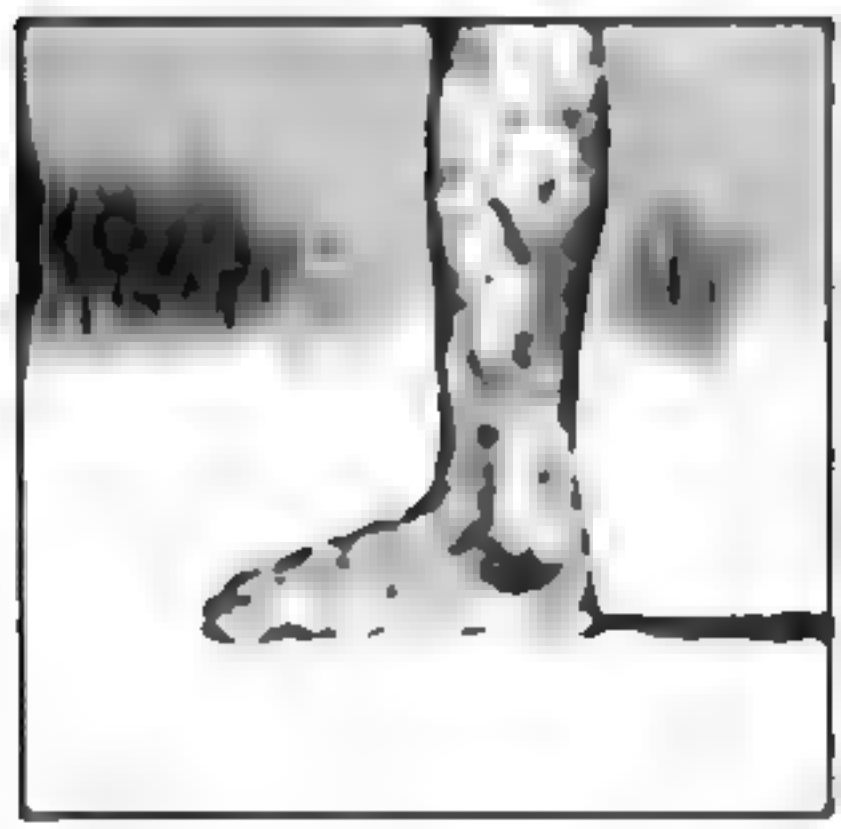

HOW DID THEY SPOT ME?
INDEED, THE SHOT WAS TOO PRECISE TO...

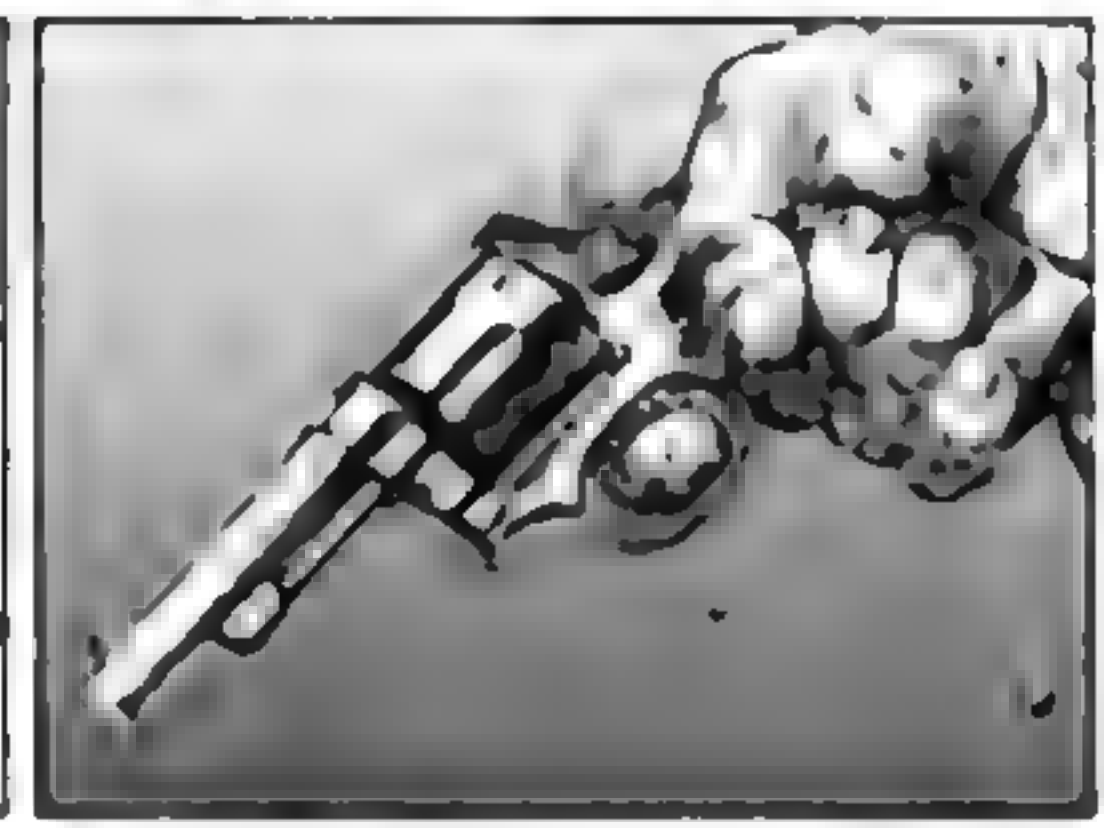
HIH!!

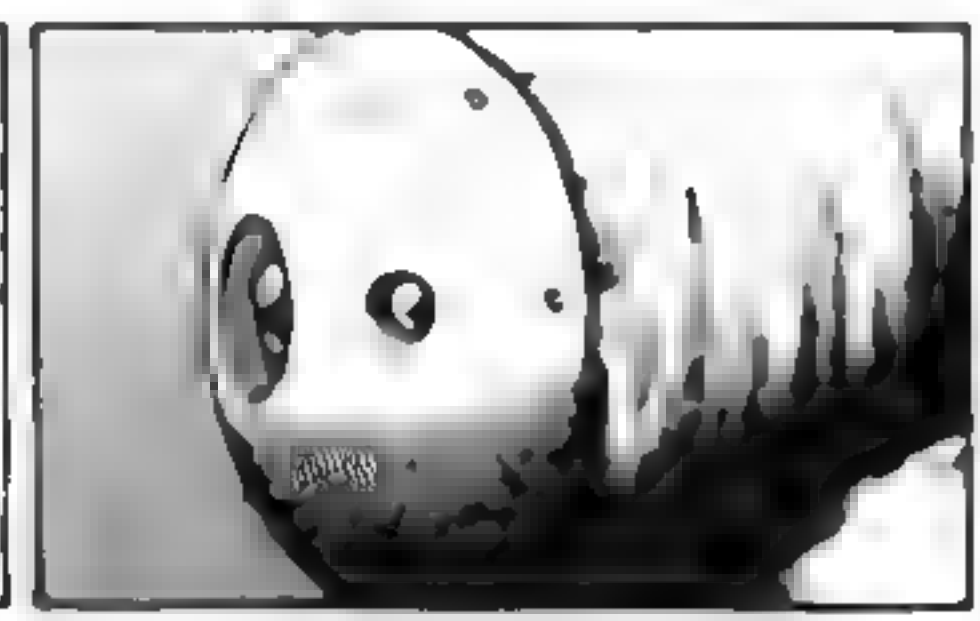




I TOLD YOU, YOU'RE IN THEIR LINE OF SIGHT.







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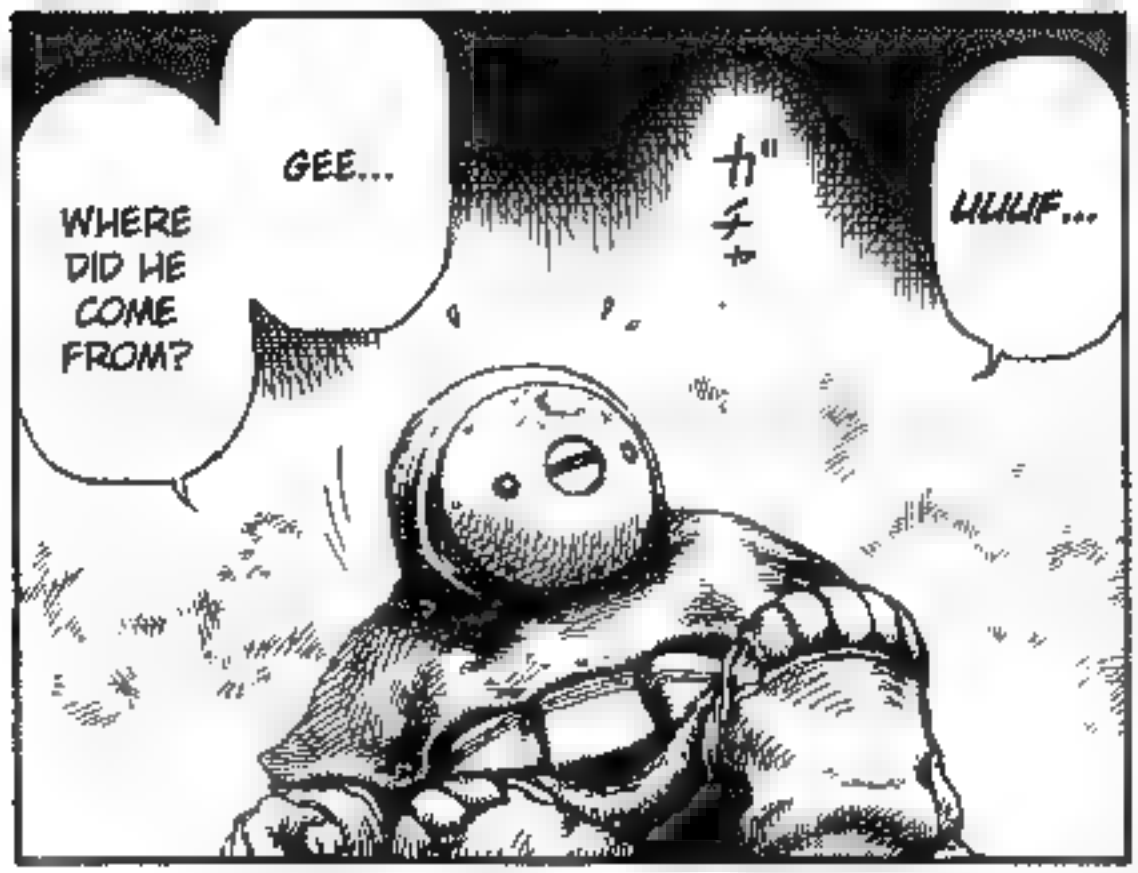
WHERE DID HE COME FROM?
GEE...
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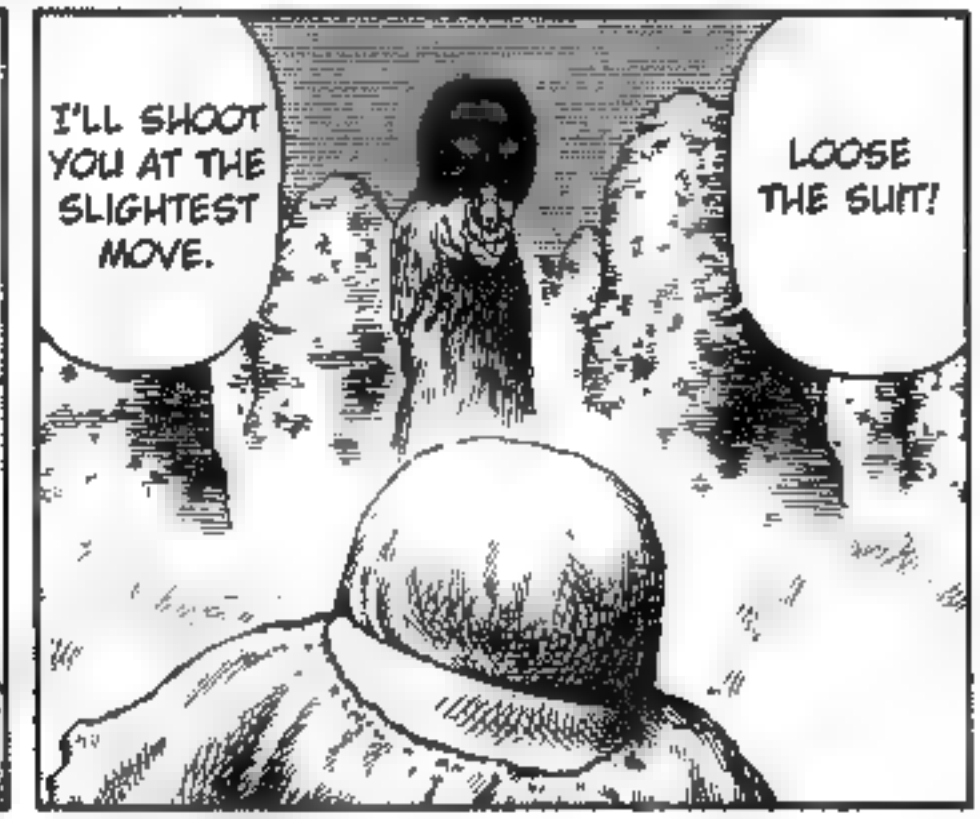
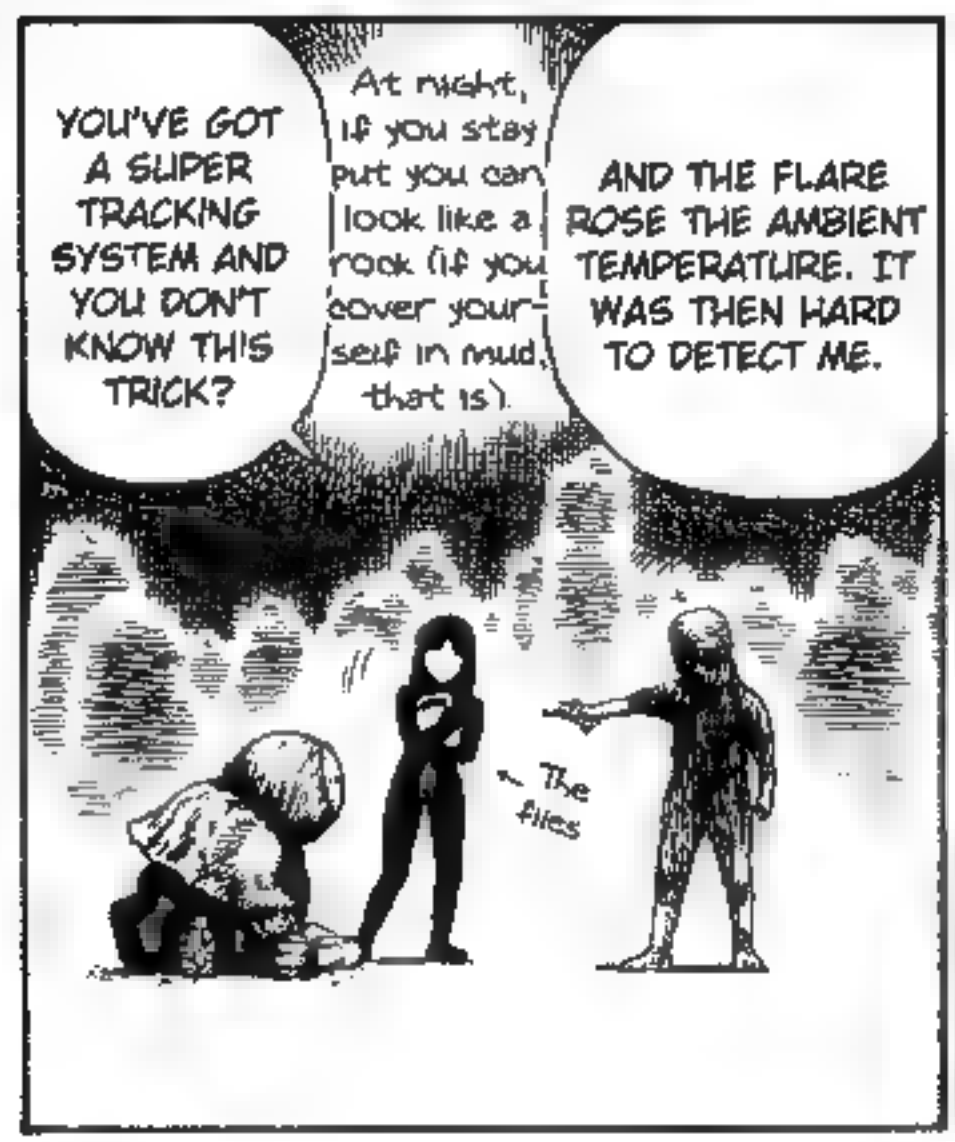
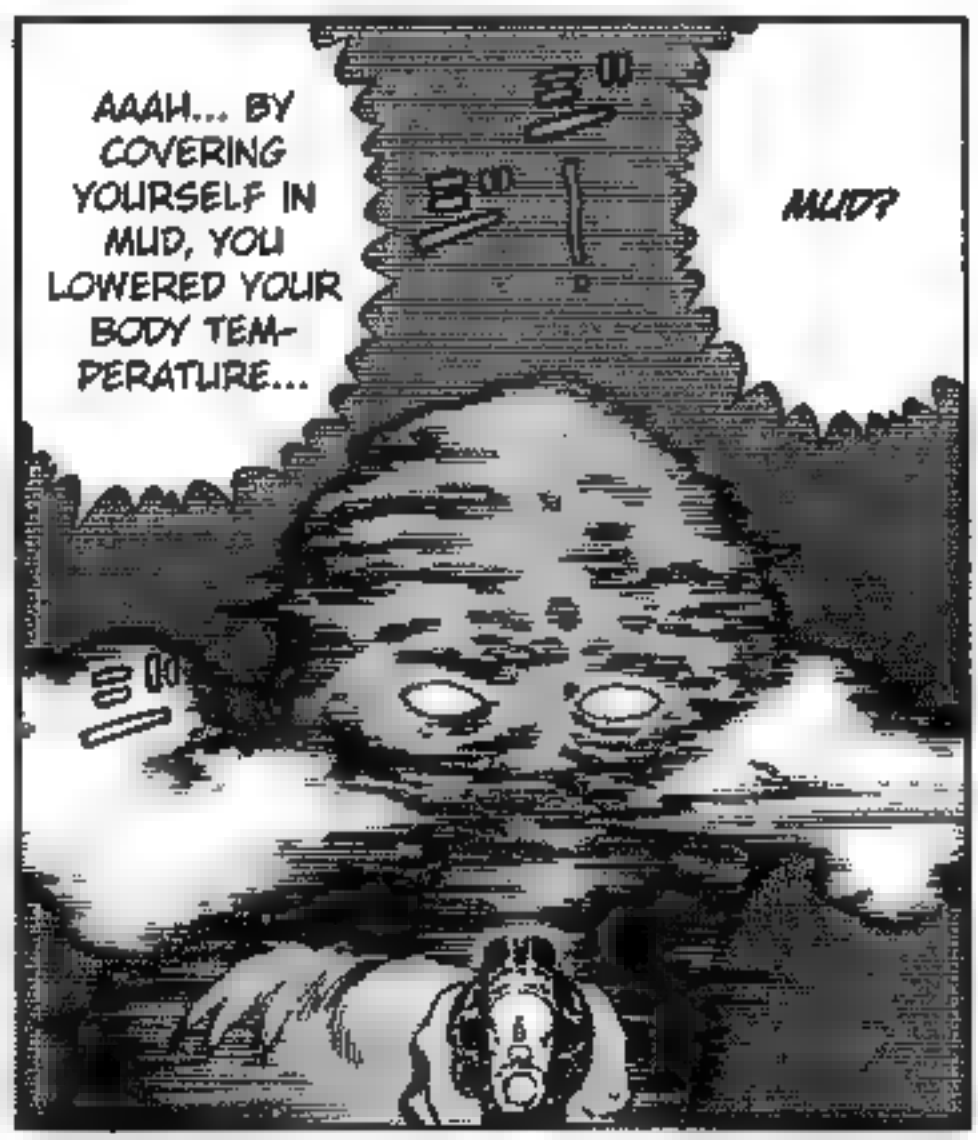
UUUF...

Yeah!
VICTORY!
BOING

WHY?
I DIDN'T DETECT ANYTHING.


I'LL SHOOT YOU AT THE SLIGHTEST MOVE.
LOOSE THE SUIT!


YOU'VE GOT A SUPER TRACKING SYSTEM AND YOU DON'T KNOW THIS TRICK?
At night, if you stay put you can look like a rock (if you cover yourself in mud, that is).
AND THE FLARE ROSE THE AMBIENT TEMPERATURE. IT WAS THEN HARD TO DETECT ME.
The flies


AAAH... BY COVERING YOURSELF IN MUD, YOU LOWERED YOUR BODY TEMPERATURE...
MUD?

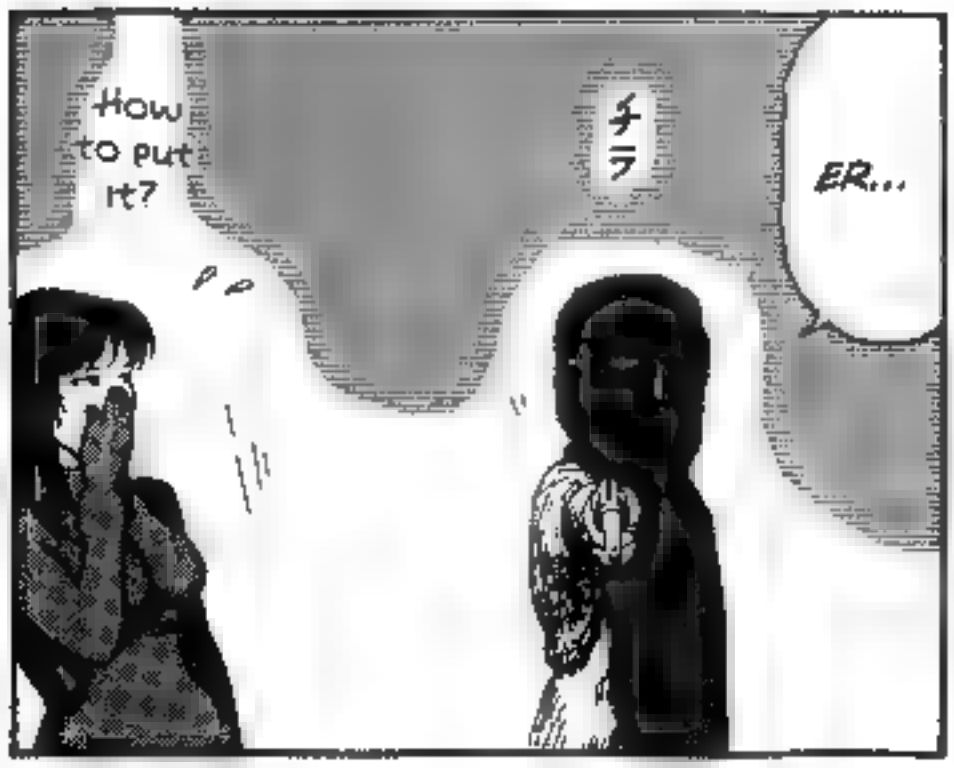
THERE'S SO MUCH I STILL NEED TO LEARN.
Haa...
I LACK EXPERIENCE, IT'S OBVIOUS...

HUH?

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT, IT'S CRAZY.

HOW DID YOU MAKE THE MUD?
I'D LIKE TO KNOW...
Well... It's... Er.

YOU UNDERSTOOD THAT YOU WERE JUST AN INEXPERIENCED JACKASS.
I'D SAY YOU LEARNED QUITE A LOT IN A SHORT TIME.


How to put it?
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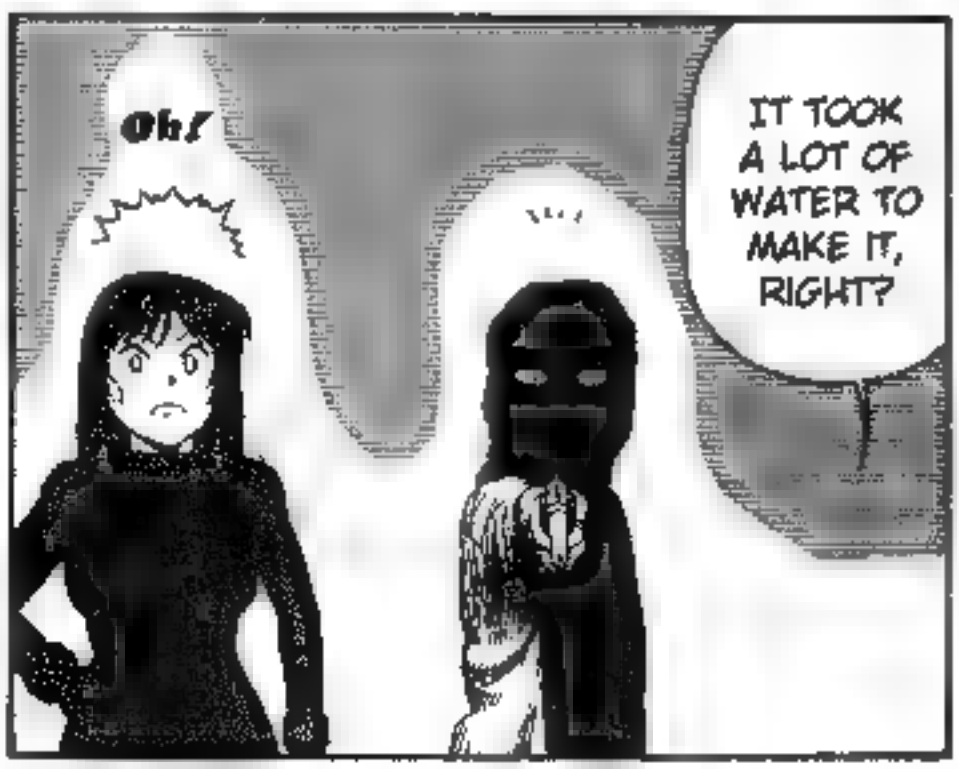
ER...


Oh!
IT TOOK A LOT OF WATER TO MAKE IT, RIGHT?

YOU SICK BASTARD!

H!H!H!, I'VE GOT JUNKO'S PEE.

PLUS THE URINE FROM THREE PEOPLE.

DON'T LISTEN EITHER!

DON'T LOOK AT ME!

WE HAD TO DIG A ONE METER HOLE IN THE SAND AND USE THE WATER FROM KOSUNA'S AIR CONDITIONER, SOME OINTMENT, THE WEAPONS' OIL AND SOME GREASE.

It was also part of the plan

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Sand

Plastic bag

YOU DON'T FEEL THE COLD TOO MUCH.

AND BY LIMITING THE HEAT DIS-SIPATION

THEN, THE TEMPERATURE DROPPED 4 DEGREES, THE MUD HARDENED, BECOMING A PROTECTION THAT CONCEILED THE BODY'S TEMPERATURE.

OBVIOUSLY, THE HEAT FROM THE URINE HELPED TO MELT THE GREASE AND THE OINT-MENT, IT WAS THEN EASY TO APPLY IT ON THE BODY.

THAT'S WHAT HAP-PENS WHEN YOU PUT TOO MUCH TRUST IN TECHNOLOGY, SCHMUCK

What did I do until now?!

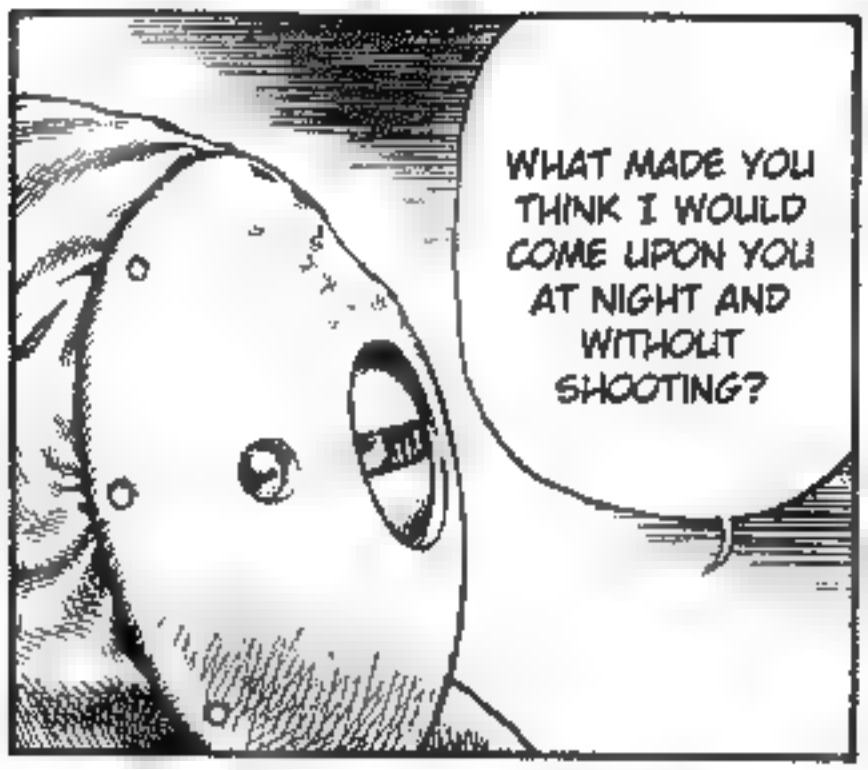
DAMMIT! TECHNOLOGY DEFEATED BY PISS!

HE'S ABOUT TO FREEZE.

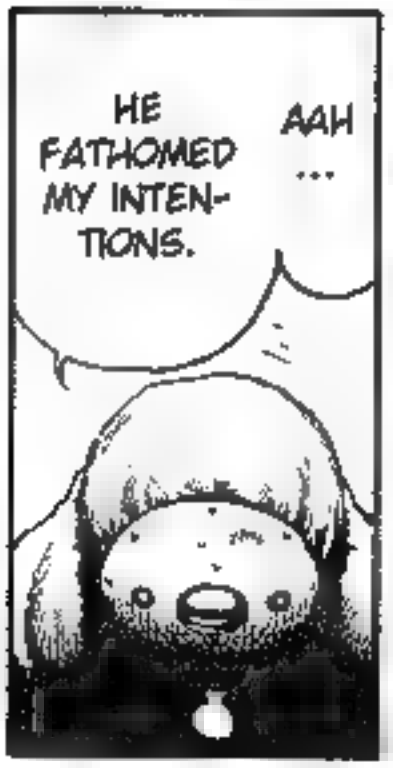
BECAUSE WE LACKED WATER, I COULD KEEP ONLY MY T-SHIRT, MY PANTS AND MY TURBAN.

OH I DO... IT'S GETTING HARD TO ENDURE..

Are you ok?


WHAT MADE YOU THINK I WOULD COME UPON YOU AT NIGHT AND WITHOUT SHOOTING?

ONE MORE THING!...
OK, ENOUGH JOKES, GET IT OFF NOW.


HE FATHOMED MY INTEN-TIONS.
AAH ...

I PUT MYSELF IN YOUR SHOES. I THOUGHT THAT YOU WOULDN'T LET JUNKO ALONE WITH A STRANGER.

HUH?
...
IS THAT RIGHT?

BUT HE'S THE ONE WHO GAVE ME THE CONTRACT AND ASKED FOR HELP.
WELL, YES.
WHO HIRED YOU ? THE UZUMAKI COMPANY?

SINCE AN EMITTER WAS ATTACHED TO THE FILES, YOU DIDN'T NEED ME.
WHY DID YOU ASK ME TO BENEFIT OF MY EXPERIENCE OF THE DESERT AND MY INTEL?
ACTUALLY, WHILE YOU ASKED ME TO HELP YOU, YOU USED ME. PRETENDING SOME FILES HAD BEEN STOLEN...

I'M WONDERING WHY IT'S ALWAYS THIS KIND OF MORON WHO PUTS A COMPANY IN JEOPARDY.

SOME OTHER PEOPLE WOULD'VE REACTED RIGHT AWAY.

IF THE EMITTER HAS BEEN PLANTED BY THE COMPANY...

HIM?!

THAT'S IMPOS-SIBLE!

YOU ACTED ON YOUR OWN, DIDN'T YOU?

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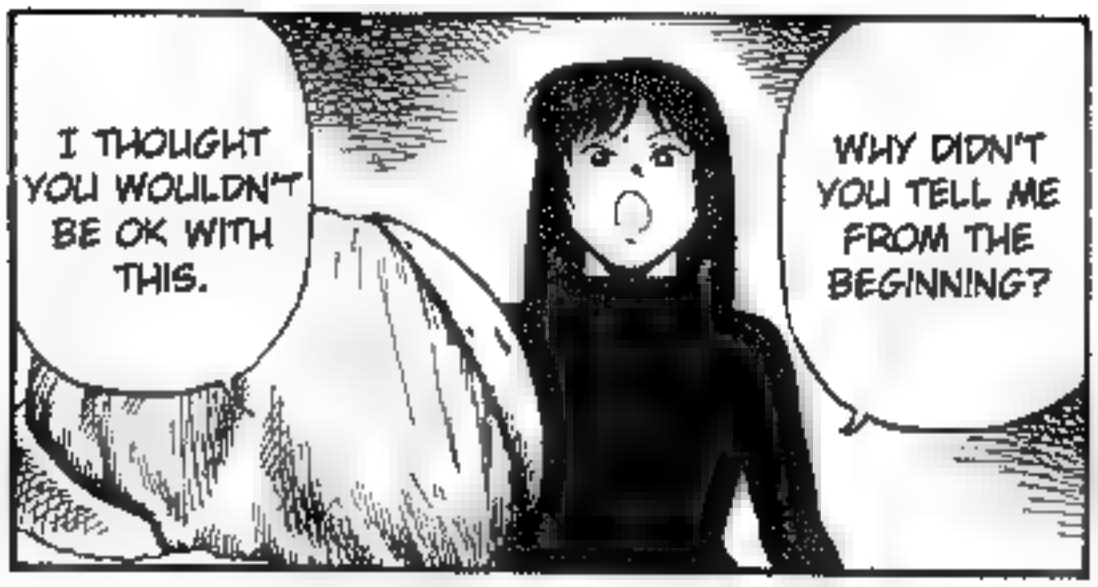
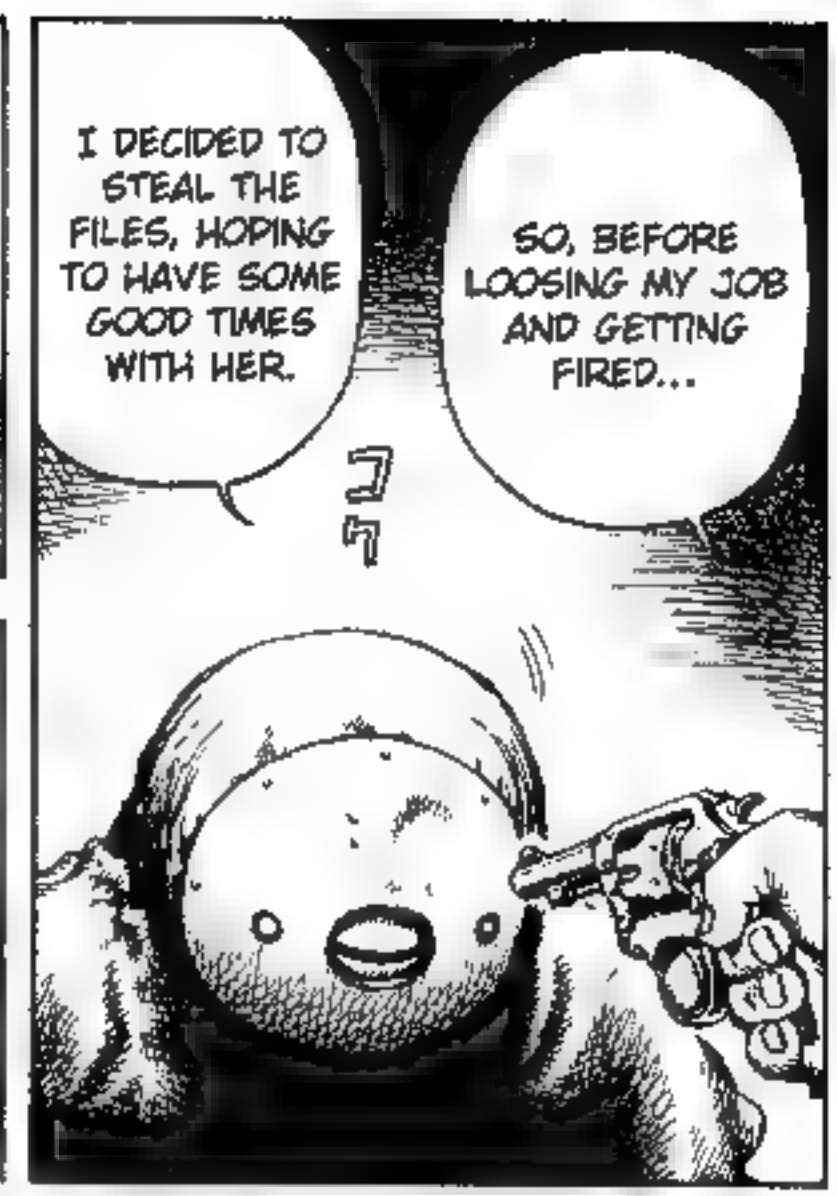
AND THE COMPANY NOTICED IT.

THIS WOMAN WAS LEADING ME BY THE NOSE.

HEHEHE...


I THOUGHT YOU WOULDN'T BE OK WITH THIS.
WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME FROM THE BEGINNING?

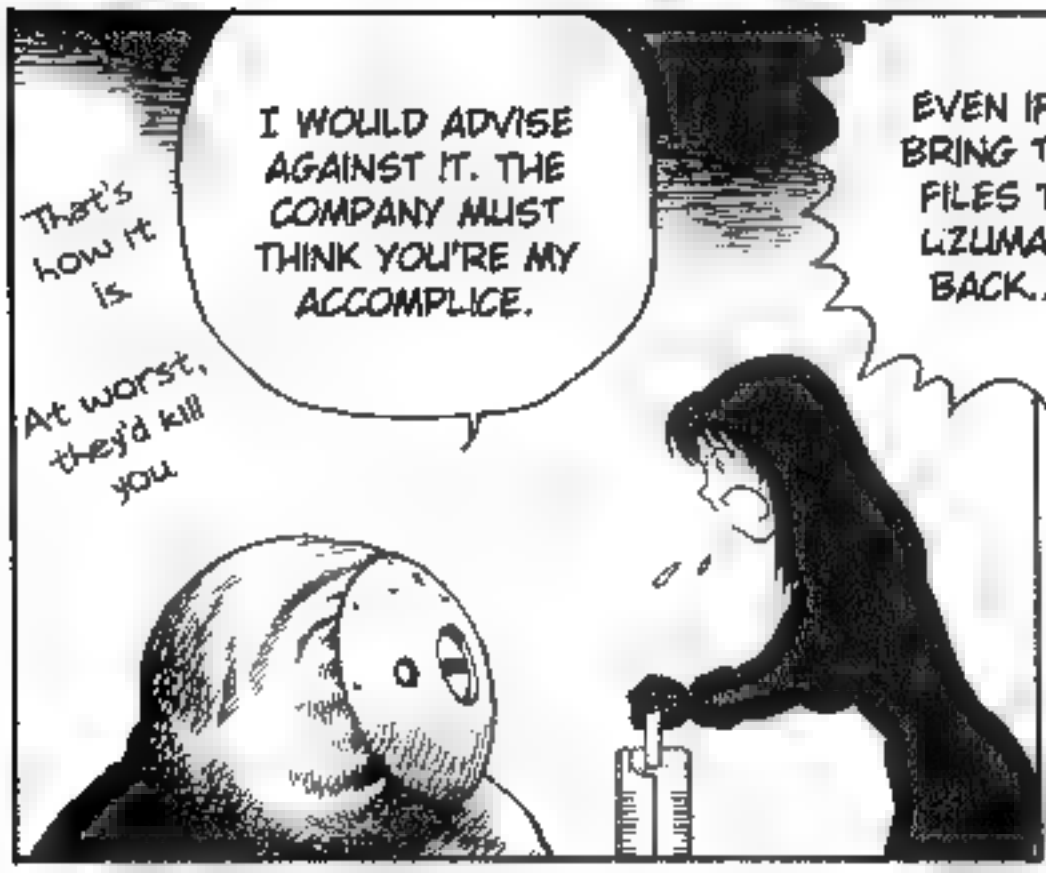

I DECIDED TO STEAL THE FILES, HOPING TO HAVE SOME GOOD TIMES WITH HER.
SO, BEFORE LOOSING MY JOB AND GETTING FIRED...

DON'T GET ME INVOLVED.
Of course, why would I take the risk?

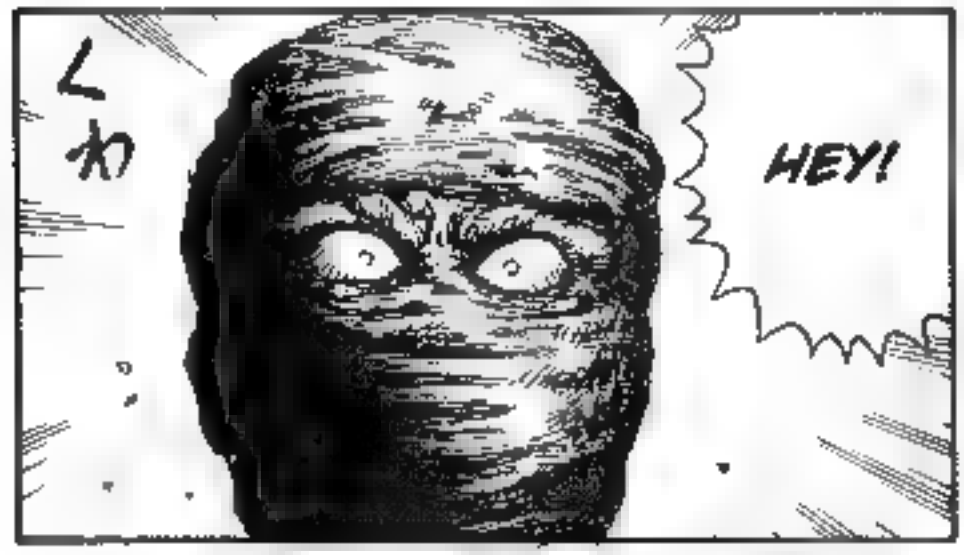
BUT IF IT'S RISKY, I LEAVE IT TO SOMEBODY ELSE.
MY RULE IS TO MAKE BIG PROFITS.

PFU!
BUT HE LOST HIS TEMPER, AND GOT BURNED.
EVEN THOUGH HE'S A DUMMY, HE DOESN'T FORGET TO SILENCE THOSE WHO KNOW TOO MUCH.

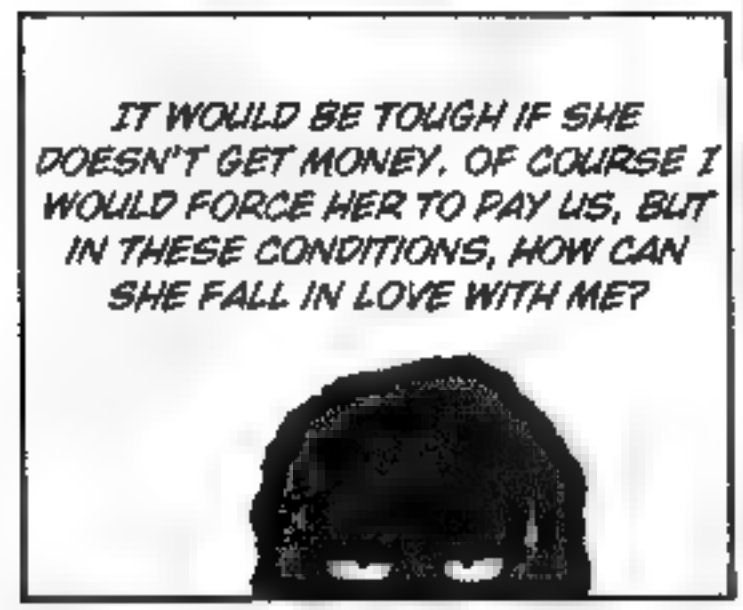
INTENDING TO KILL THEM FROM THE BEGINNING.
HE'S FRIGHTENING... HE ALSO HIRED THE GUYS WHO STOLE THE FILE...


I WOULD ADVISE AGAINST IT. THE COMPANY MUST THINK YOU'RE MY ACCOMPLICE.
That's how it is
At worst, they'd kill you

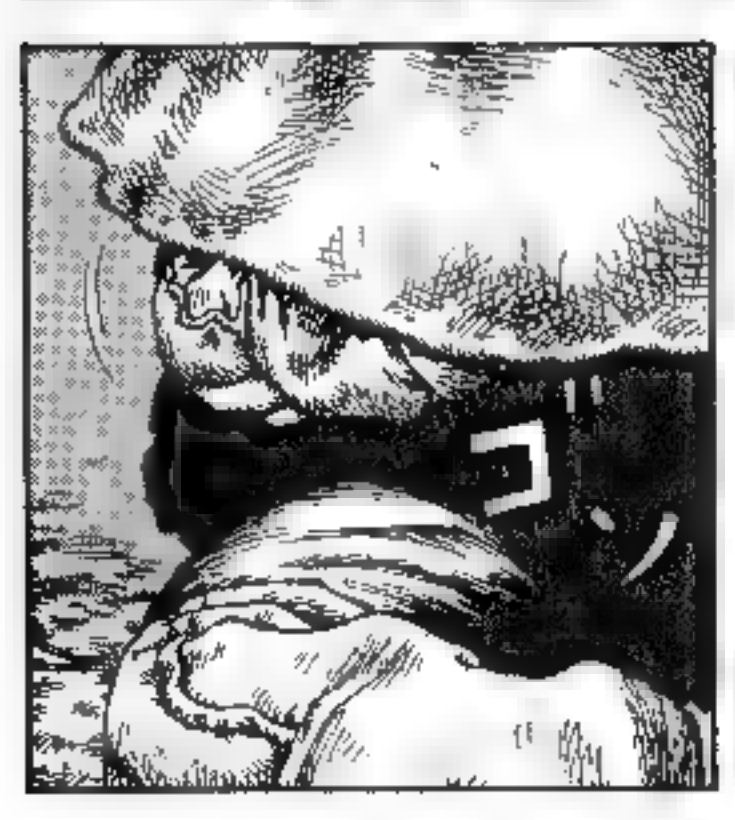
EVEN IF I BRING THE FILES TO UZUMAKI BACK...
HEY!

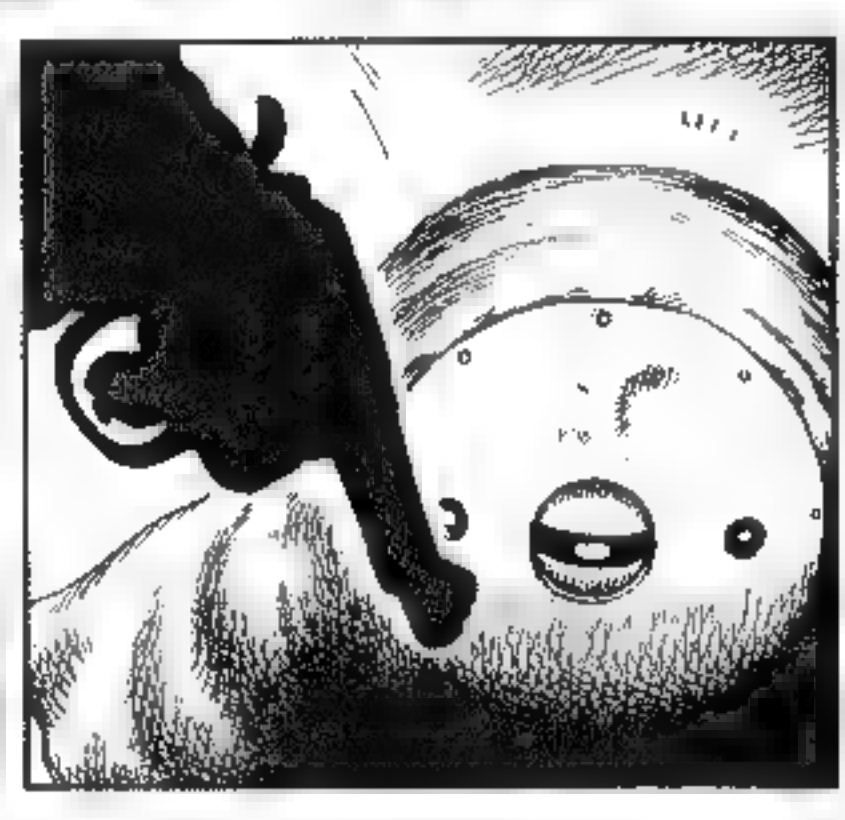

HEY!

GULP
FOR NOTHING?
I WORKED...


IT WOULD BE TOUGH IF SHE DOESN'T GET MONEY. OF COURSE I WOULD FORCE HER TO PAY US, BUT IN THESE CONDITIONS, HOW CAN SHE FALL IN LOVE WITH ME?

EH?
HOW WILL PAY US?
IF YOU HAVE NO CASH COMING IN..

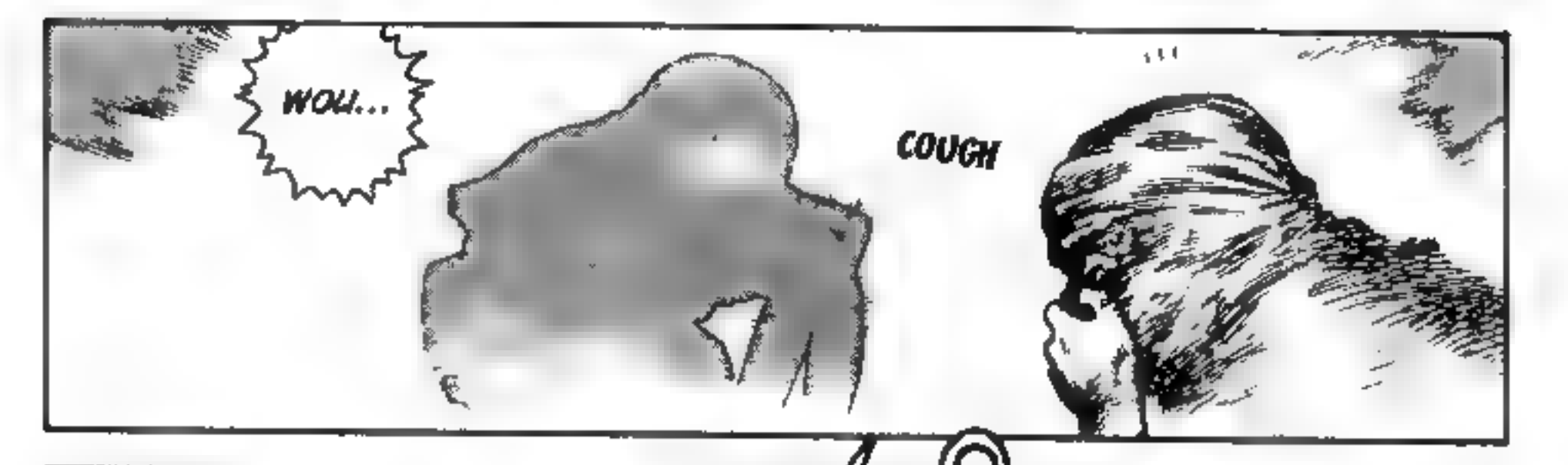


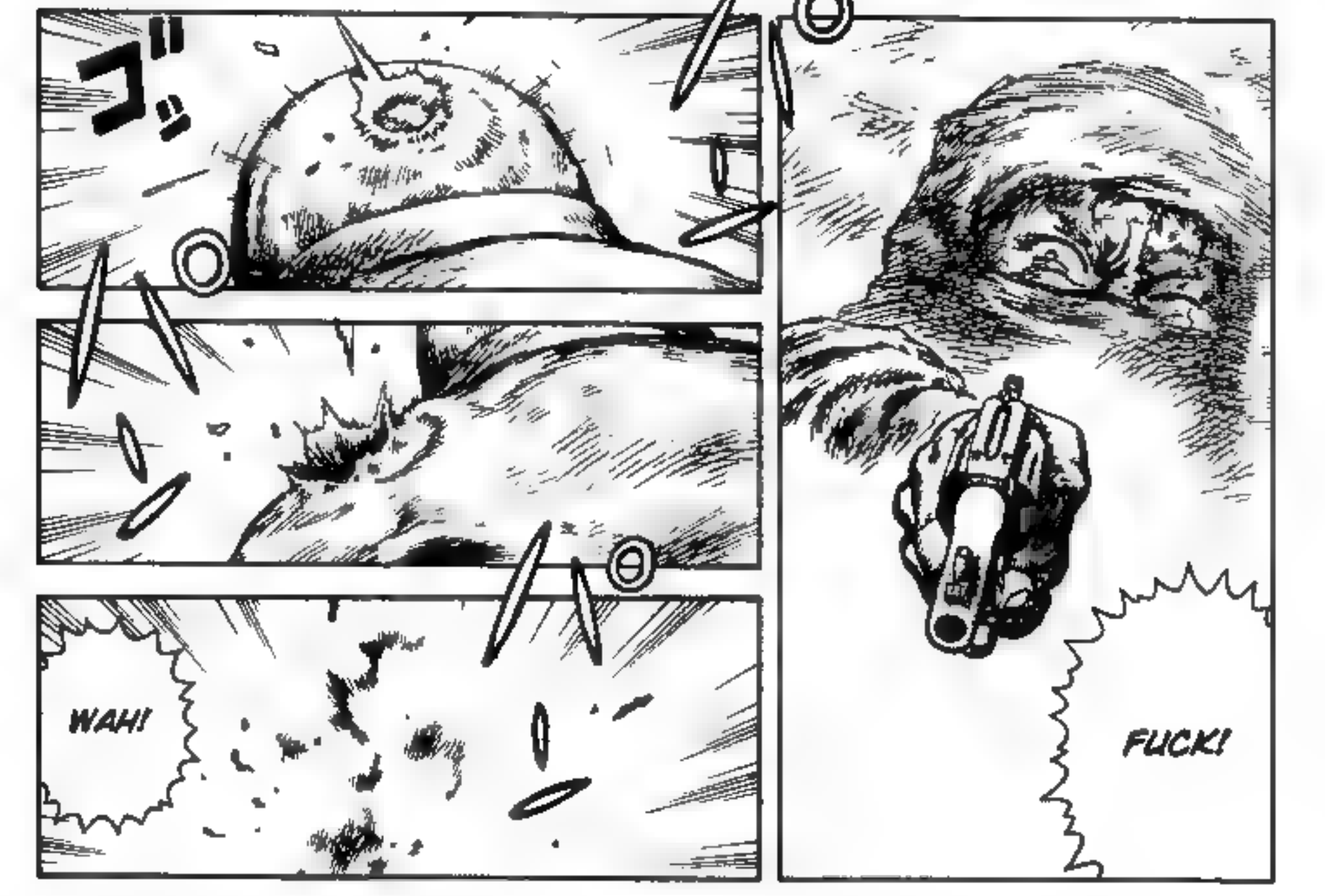


IT'S TEAR-GAS!

COUGH!
COUGH!

GAH!


WOU...
COUGH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WAH!
FUCK!

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COUGH!

COUGH!

COUGH!

HEY, WAIT!

MASTER?!

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I'M WORTHLESS.

HE'S NOT LIKE JUNKO DESCRIBED HIM.

I SHOULD'VE BEEN CAREFUL. HE SEEMED TOO NICE...

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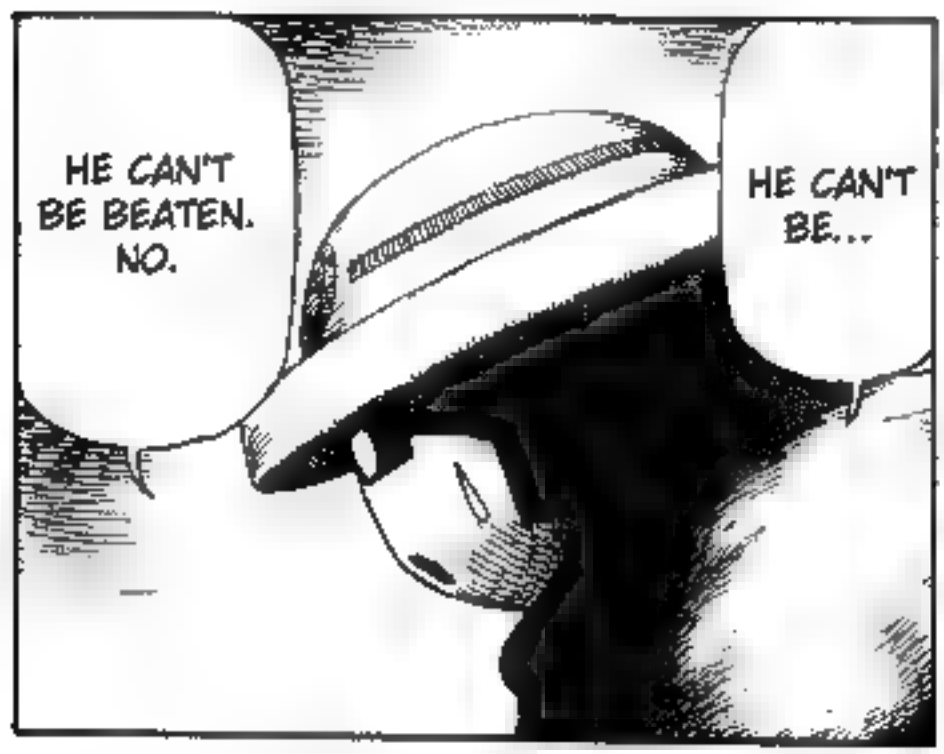
HE CAN'T BE BEATEN. NO.
HE CAN'T BE...

IF I DO NOTHING, HE'S GOING TO FREEZE TO DEATH.
QUICK!!

WHAT CAN I DO?
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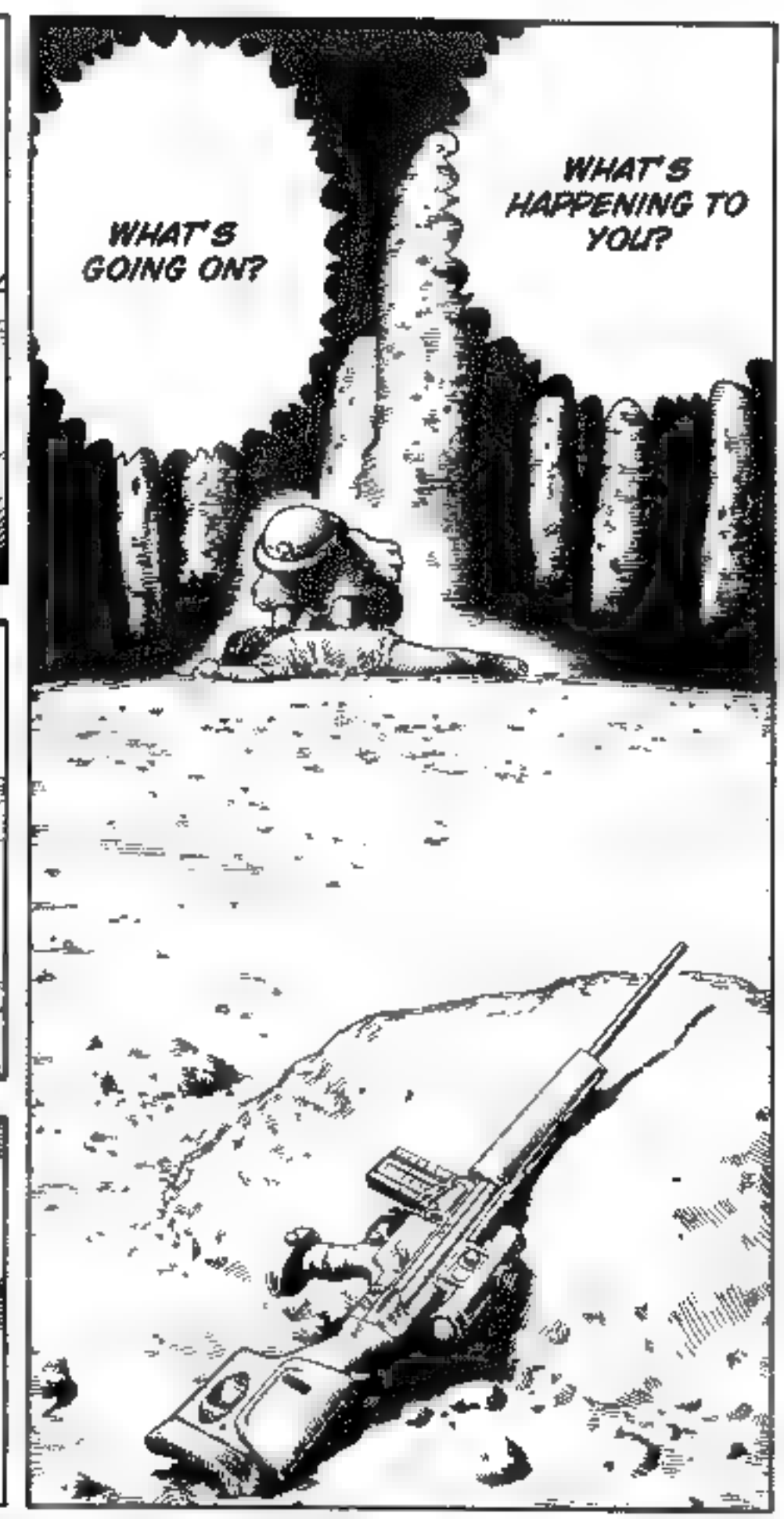
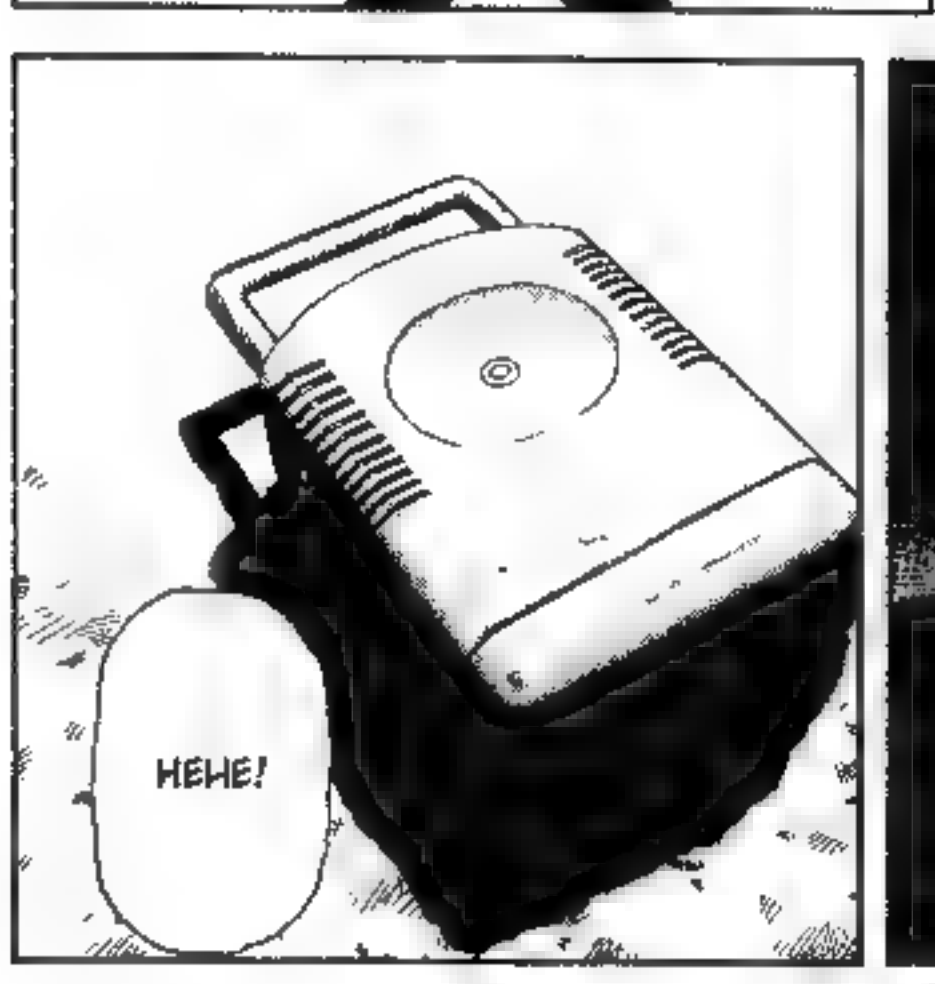
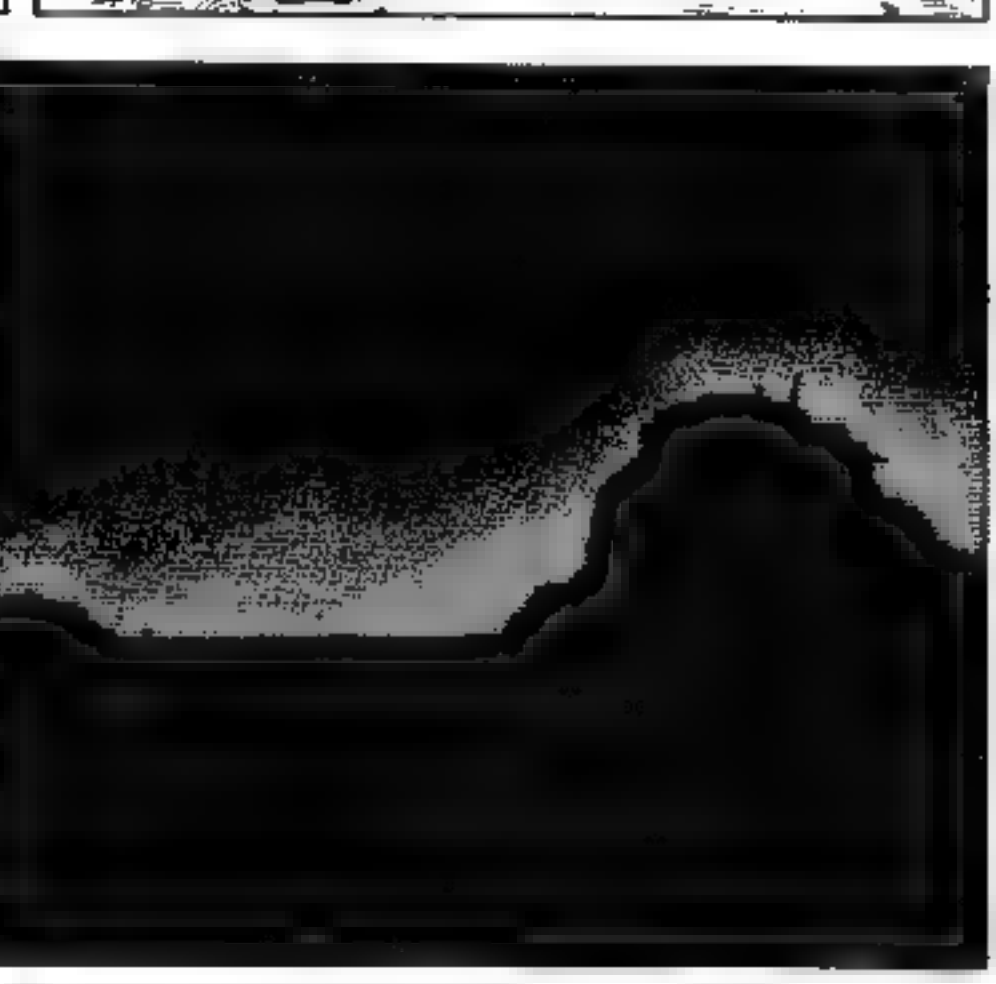
HOW?


WHAT'S GOING ON?
WHAT'S HAPPENING TO YOU?


HEHE!



THAT'S IT.

I DID IT.

HEHEHE!

MOUAH! MOUAHAHAHA HA!

HMF...

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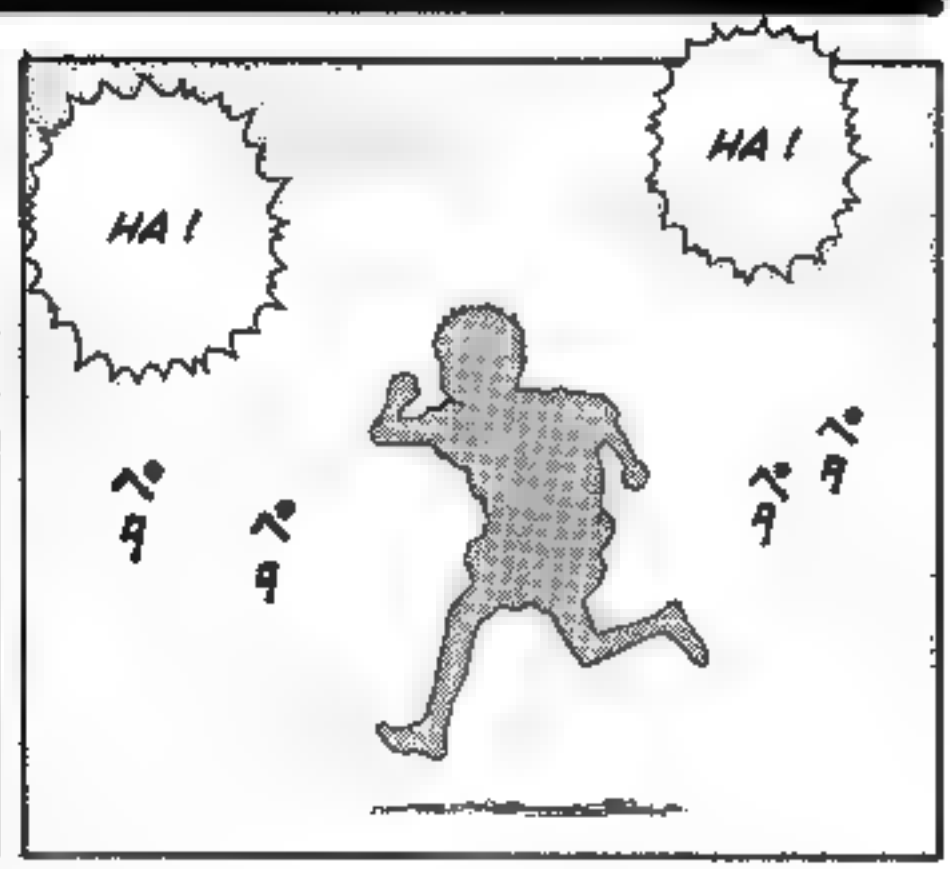
HA!
HA!
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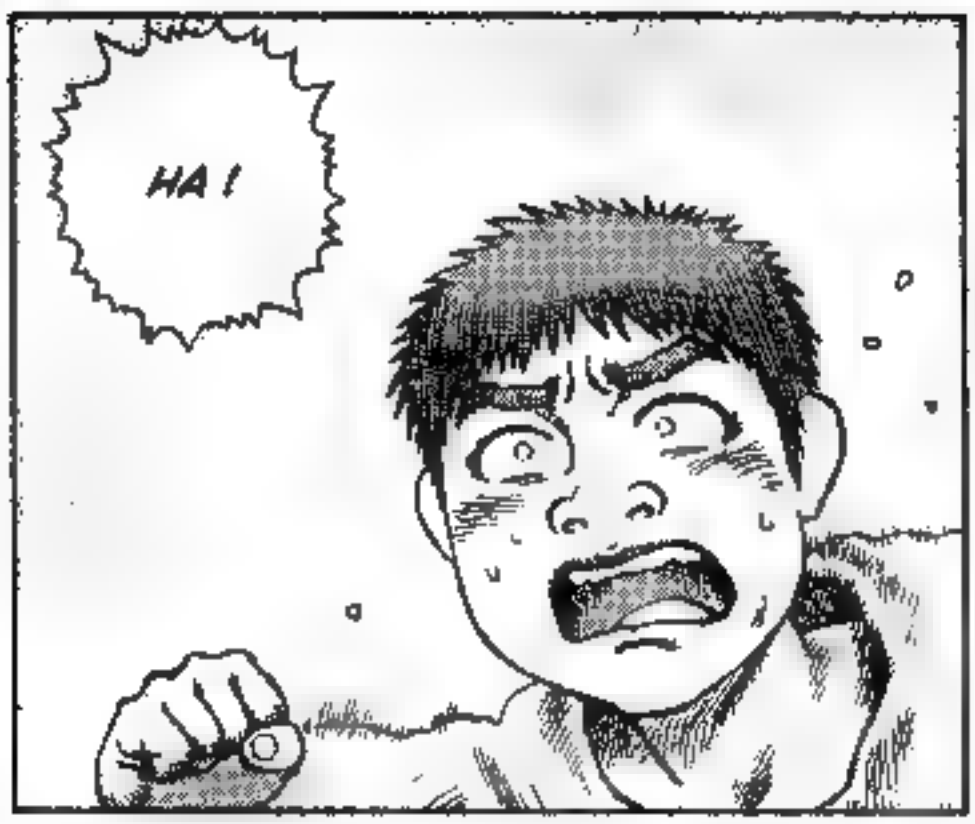
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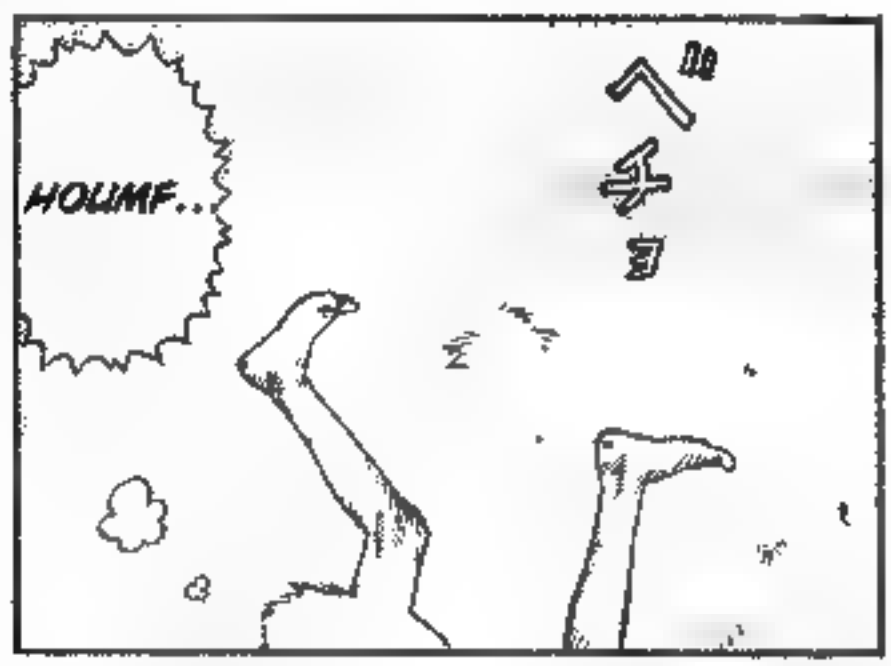
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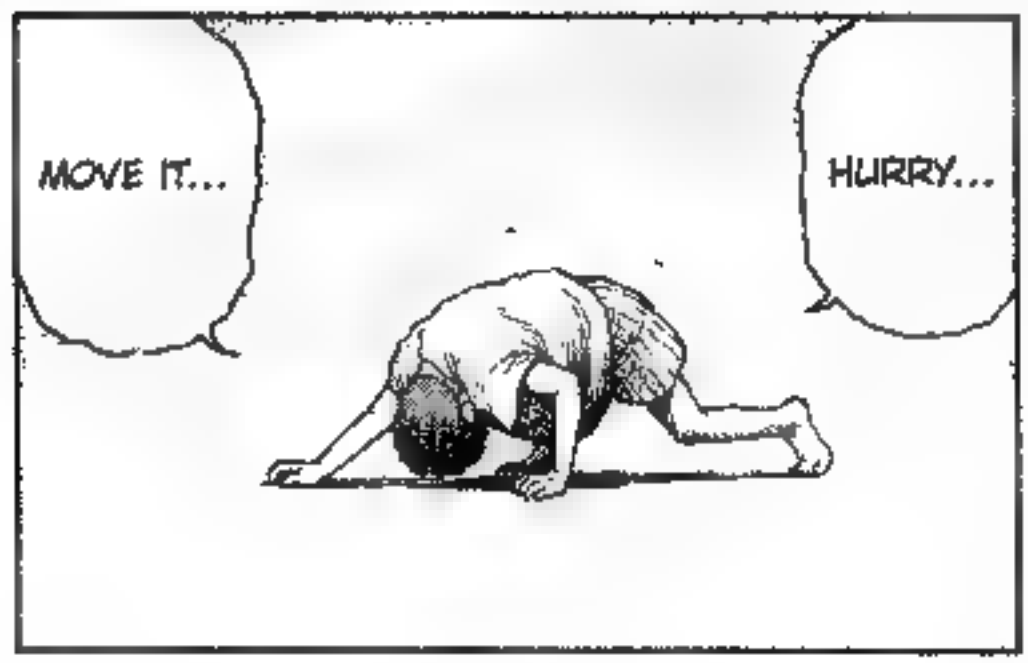
MOVE IT...
HURRY...

AH ?!

WAAAH !
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KAN-CHAN !
HUH ?!

MOUAHAHA AHAHAHA!
HELP!
JUNKOOOO!
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プル

HAHAHAHAHA!
I'M GONNA KILL HIM!
NNNG...
HUFF...
THIS CAN'T BE...
THIS
NO!

WHAT A BOTHER. HAHAHA!

I MUST ASK PAPA TO WORK EVEN MORE.

You're one serious breeder

HUH? YOU'RE PREGNANT AGAIN?

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A DREAM ?!
コクッ

WHAT A NIGHT-MARE!
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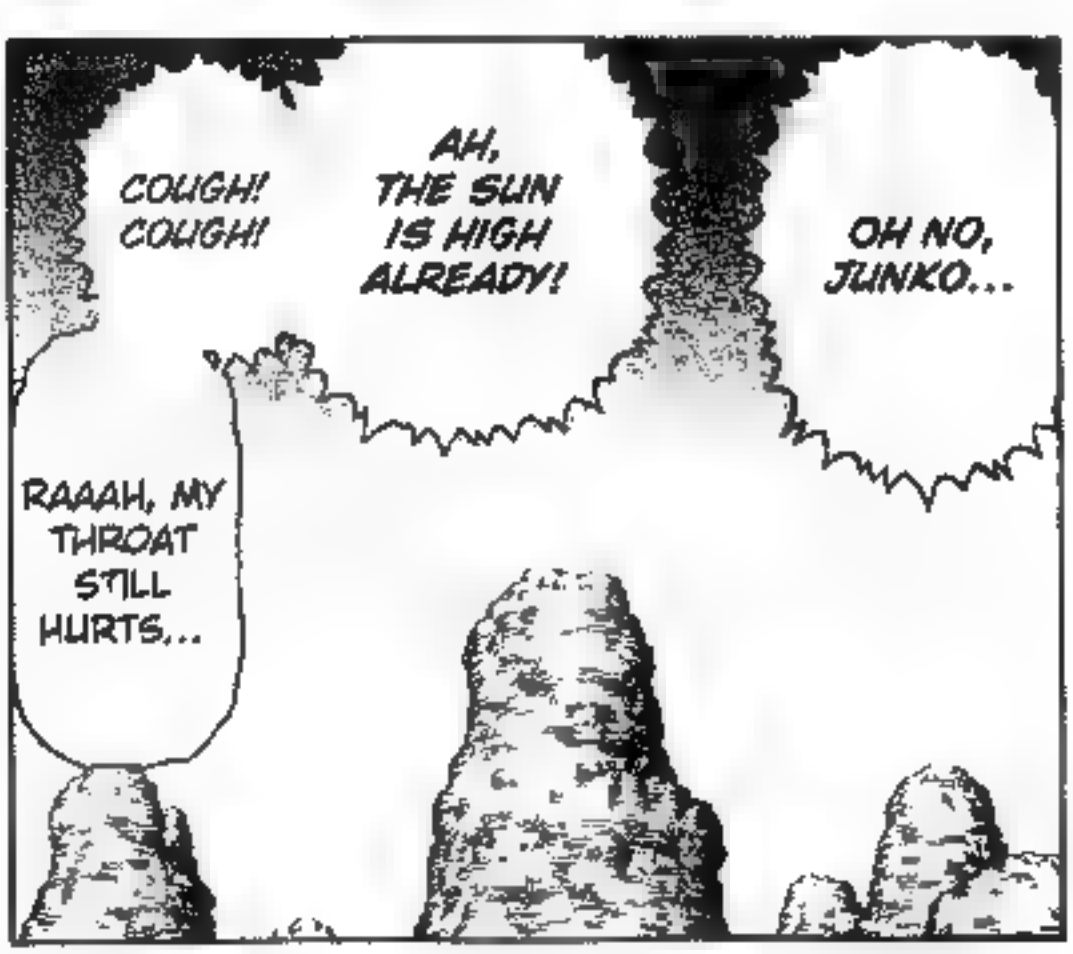
PHEEW...


COUGH! COUGH!
AH, THE SUN IS HIGH ALREADY!
OH NO, JUNKO...
RAAAH, MY THROAT STILL HURTS...

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MMM...
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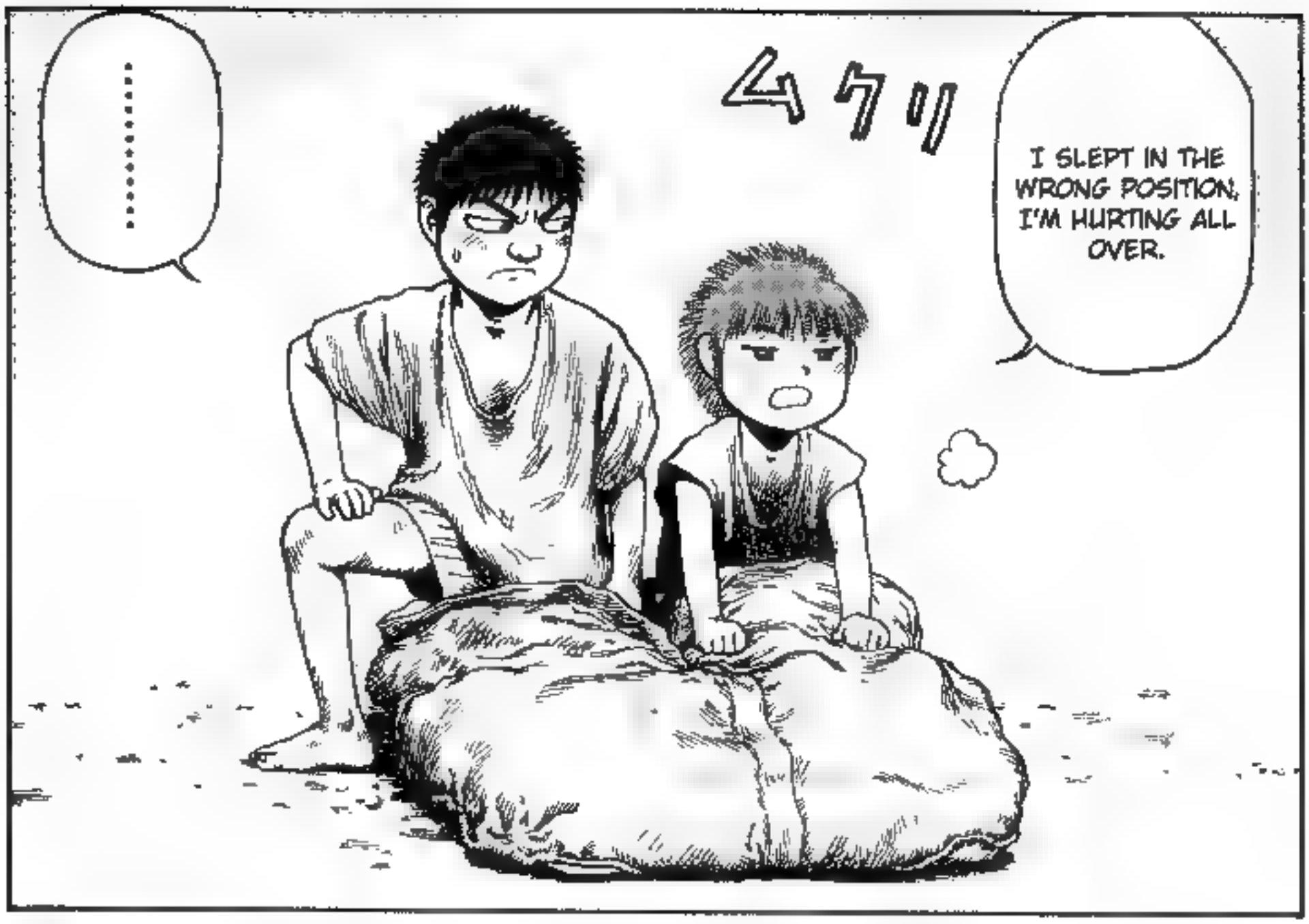
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I SLEPT IN THE WRONG POSITION. I'M HURTING ALL OVER.

PFF...

OH WELL, I UNDERSTAND IT'S HARD TO RESIST A WONDERFUL GUY LIKE ME.
Isn't it, Taiko?
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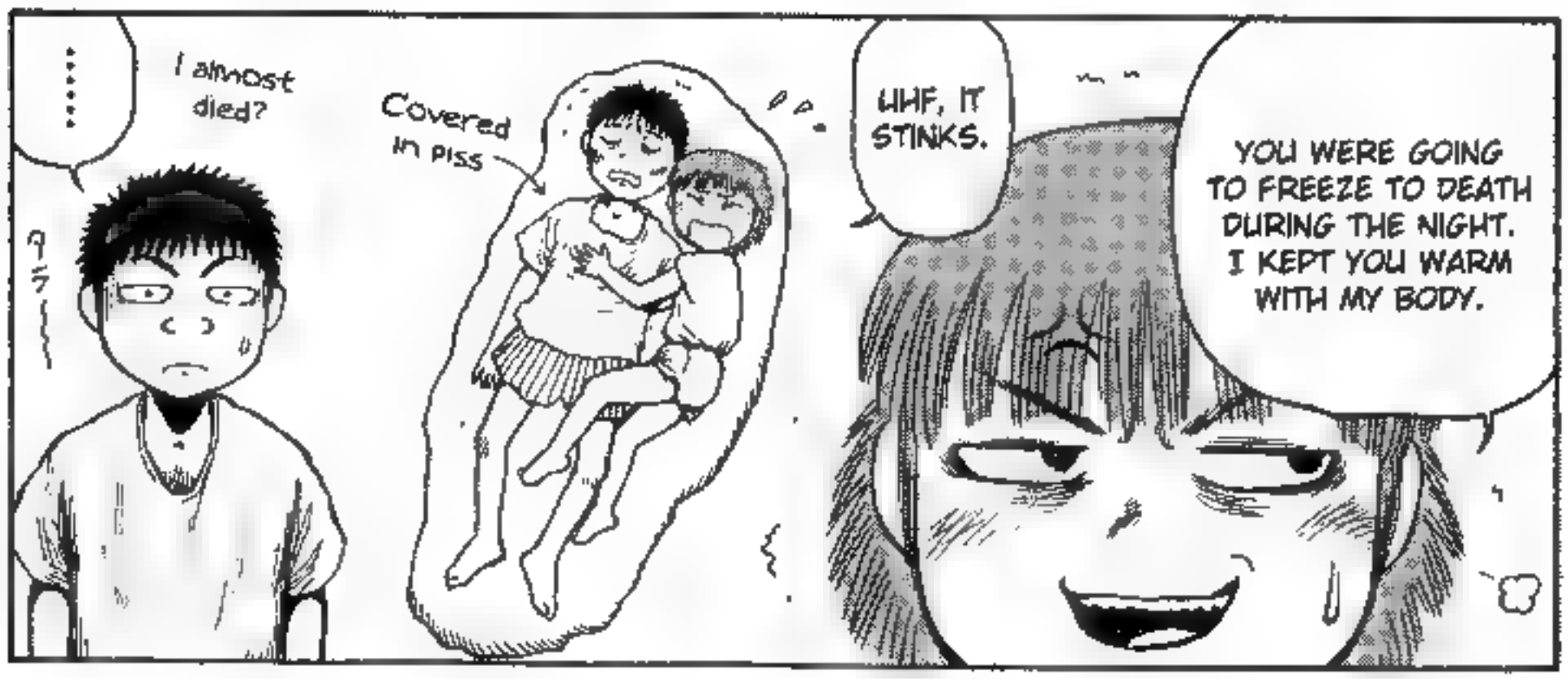
MY, MY, A KID WHO SLIPS INTO A MAN'S SLEEPING BAG...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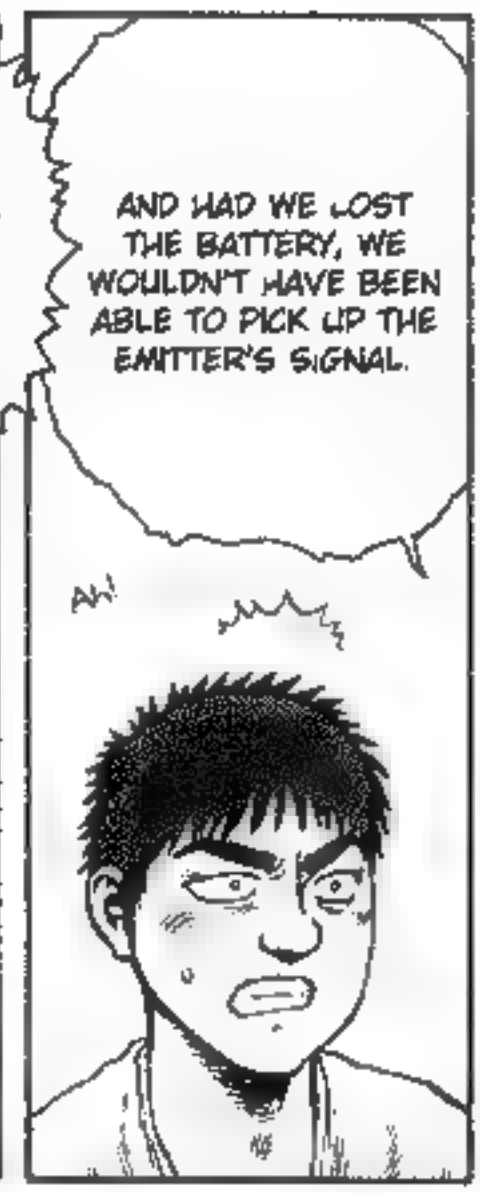
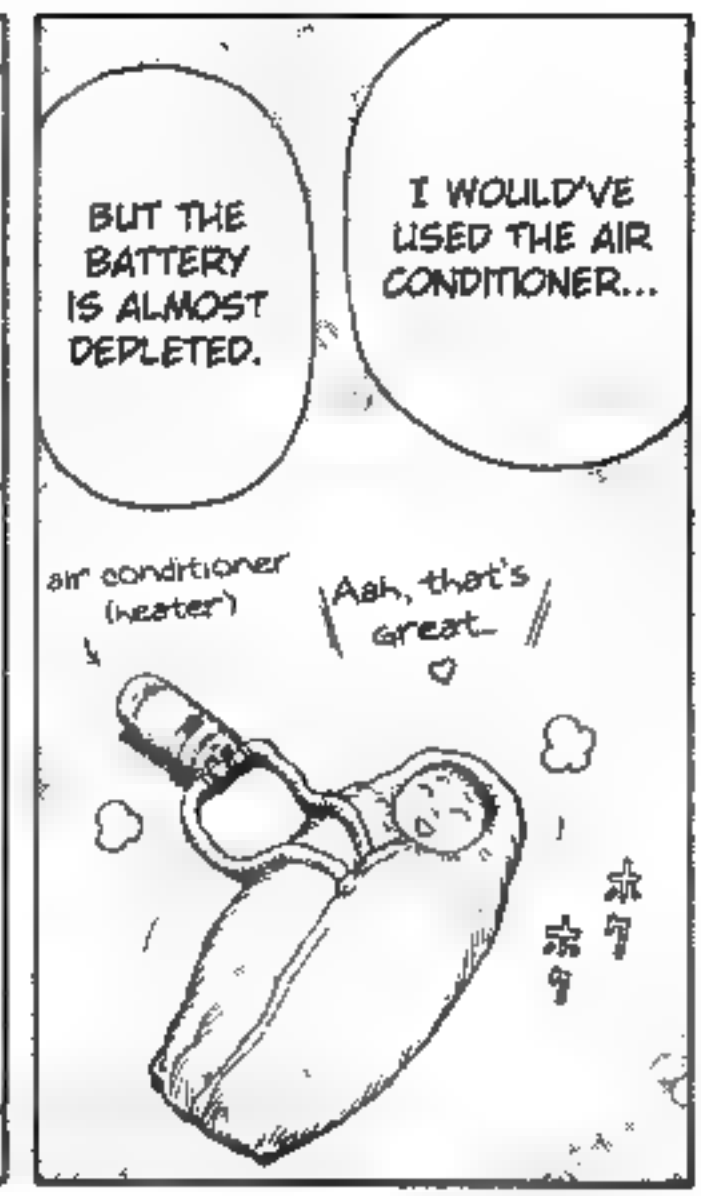
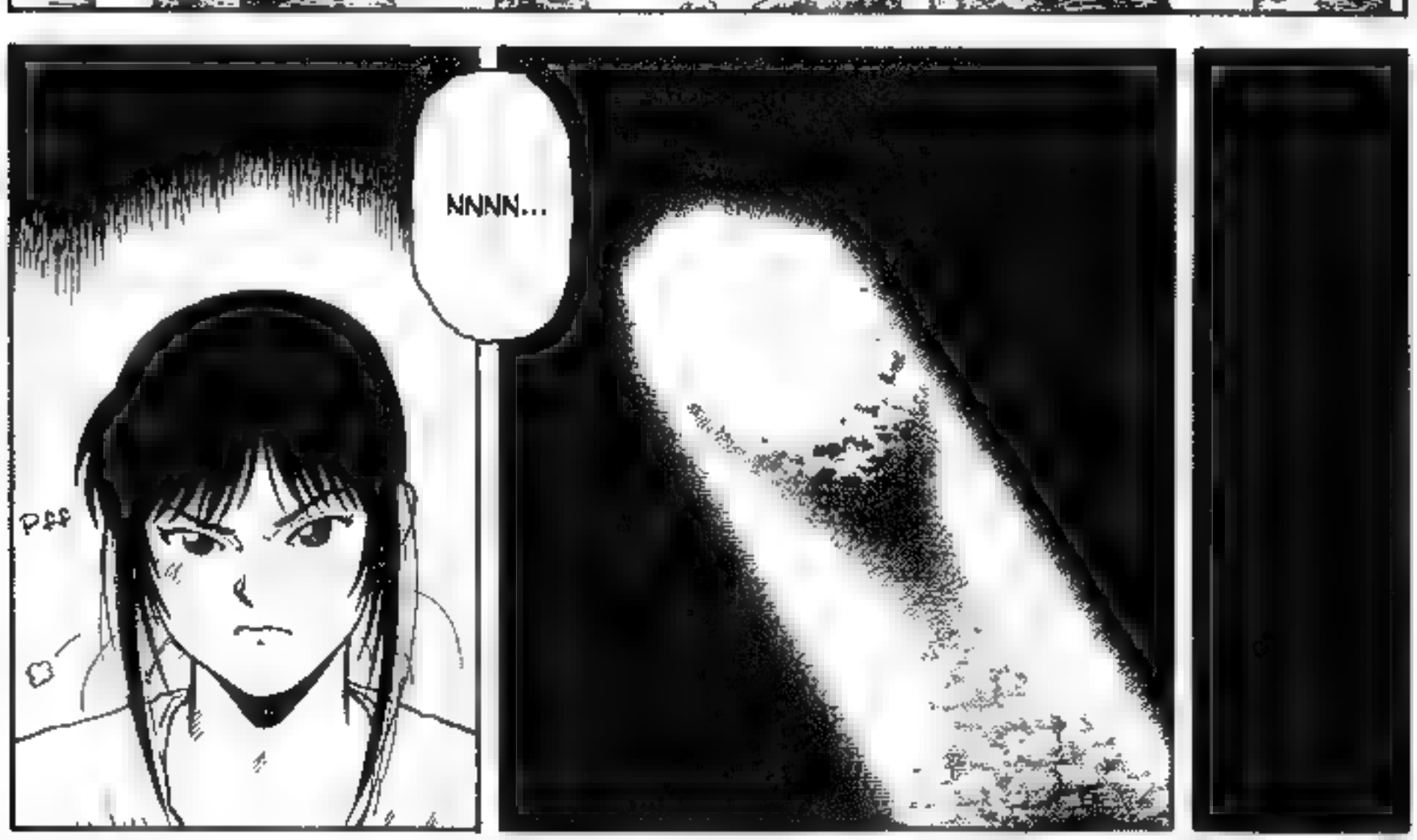
I almost died?
Covered in piss
UHF, IT STINKS.
YOU WERE GOING TO FREEZE TO DEATH DURING THE NIGHT. I KEPT YOU WARM WITH MY BODY.

THAT'S WHY...
THERE!
I WARMED YOU!
HMM...


AND HAD WE LOST THE BATTERY, WE WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN ABLE TO PICK UP THE EMITTER'S SIGNAL.
Ah!


BUT THE BATTERY IS ALMOST DEPLETED.
I WOULD'VE USED THE AIR CONDITIONER...
air conditioner (heater)
Aah, that's great

I KNOW.
AT ANY RATE, HE FOLLOWED US ONLY FOR THE WOMAN.


NNNN...
PFF

OUCH ..
AH... IT'S KINDA HARD IN THIS SPOT.
DIDN'T YOU TAKE THE BULLET OUT?
BUT... BEFORE TAKING CARE OF MYSELF...

YOU'RE GONNA REMOVE THE EMITTER?

YES.

I HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF THIS FIRST.

IT'S ALREADY TOO LATE, I GUESS.

I'M GIVING IT A TRY. AS LONG AS IT'S ON, WE WON'T BE ABLE TO GET AWAY.

IS IT OK TO DO IT HERE ? IT'S QUITE DELICATE.

THE NIGHT I ATTACKED, I LEFT SOME STUFF HERE, A KNIFE AND A BACKUP WEAPON.

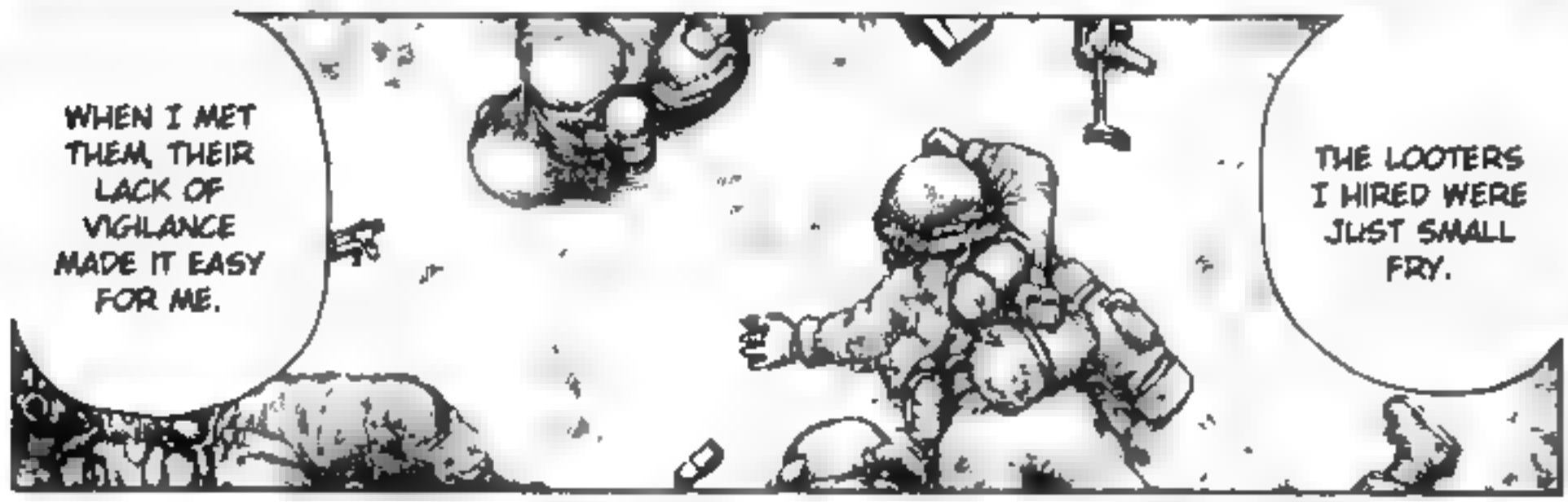
BEFORE THIS, I WORKED IN A TEAM...

I CRIED VICTORY TOO EARLY. EVERY-THING WENT FINE UNTIL NOW.

I DIDN'T THINK IT WOULD END UP LIKE THIS.

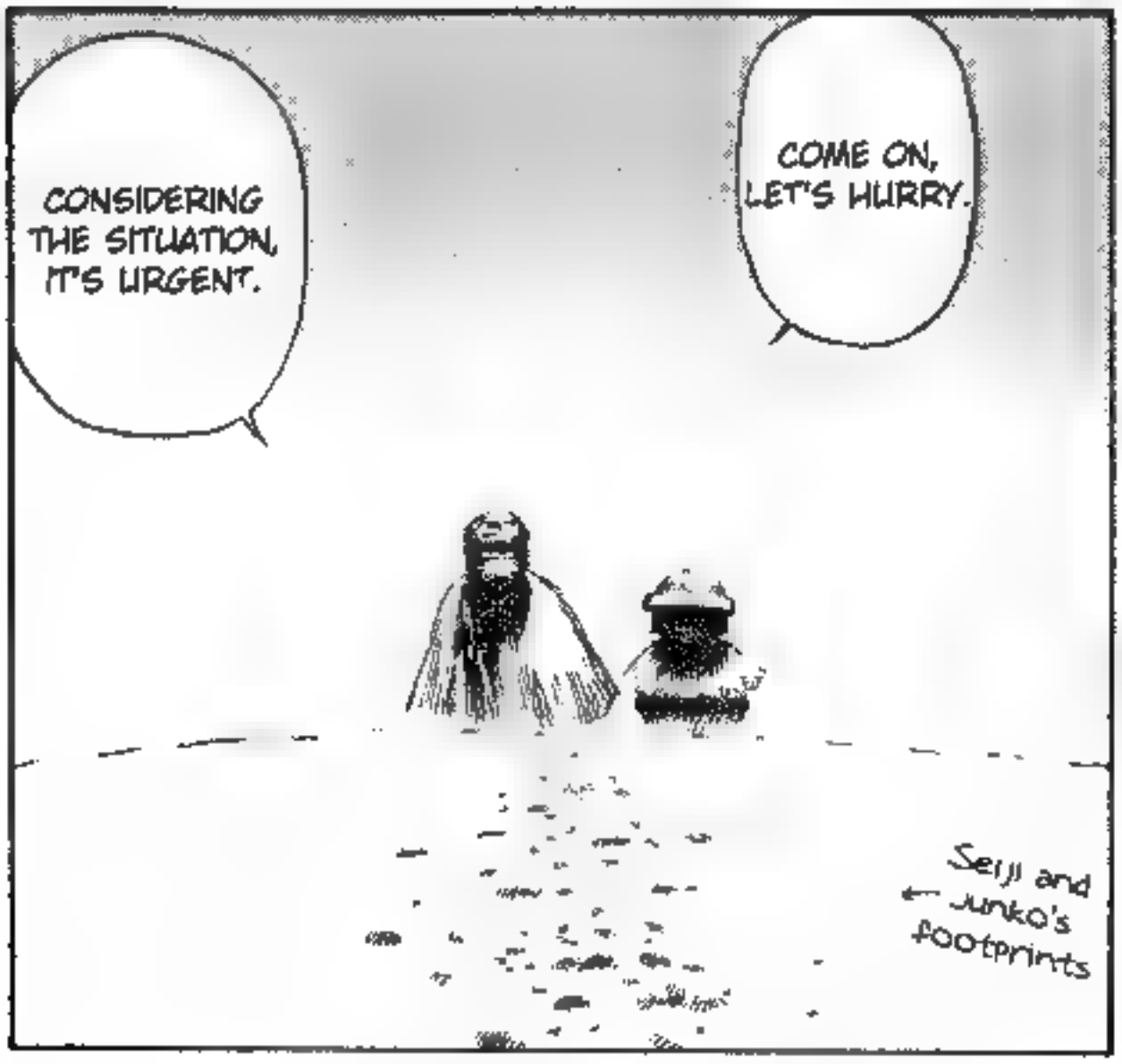
Ahf.

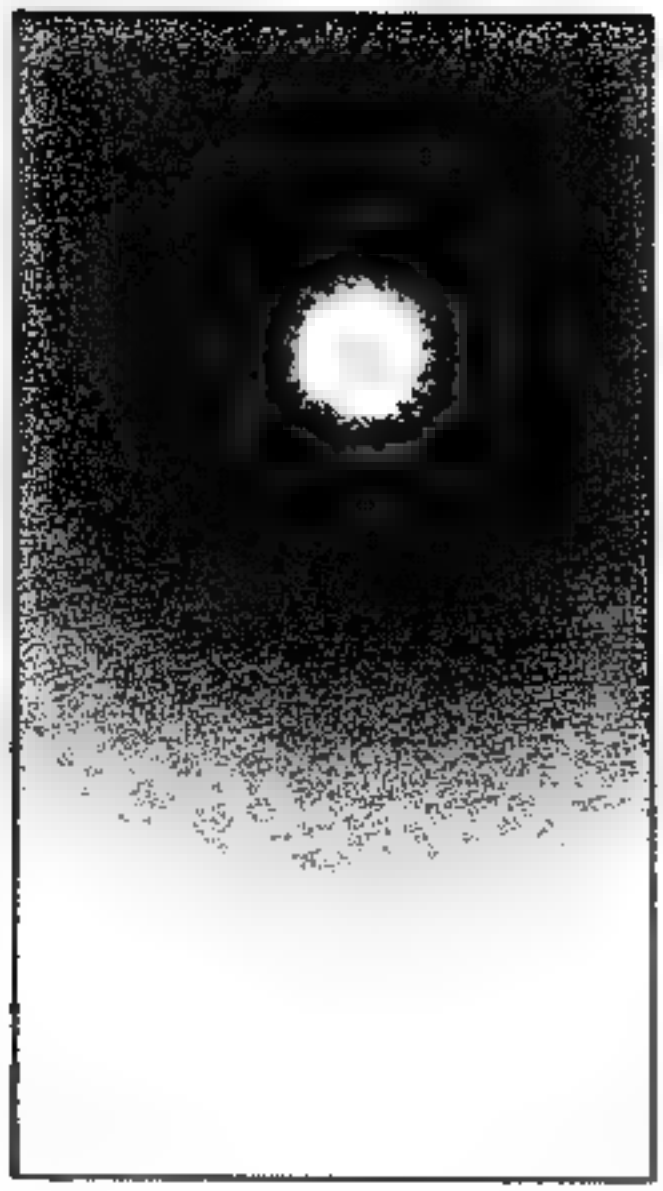
THAT'S THE FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN SUCH A GLARE.


WHEN I MET THEM, THEIR LACK OF VIGILANCE MADE IT EASY FOR ME.
THE LOOTERS I HIRED WERE JUST SMALL FRY.

WHERE WAS IT? ON AN ESTABLISHMENT IN THE SOUTH? I WAS FRIGHTENED.
FORTUNATLY, I WAS WEARING THE "SPECIAL".
ON THE OTHER HAND, I FREAKED OUT WHEN I SAW THE FIRST OF YOUR PARTNERS.

THE SECOND ONE HAD A GOOD REPUTATION, DIDN'T HE?
THEY'RE ALL DEAD. THEY WERE WORTH-LESS.
AND THE FOURTH, A CRIMINAL WITH THE POLICE AFTER HIM.
THE THIRD WAS A BOUNTY HUNTER FROM THE EAST...
HOW MANY UNDER YOUR BELT ALREADY?


CONSIDERING THE SITUATION, IT'S URGENT.
COME ON, LET'S HURRY.
Seiji and Junko's footprints



WHAT CAN THEY DO?
HIHIHI!
2 HOURS BETWEEN THE MONOLITHS FOREST AND THE HIDEOUT, THEN 3 HOURS THERE.

Doh!
I'M ALRIGHT WITH IT, BUT IT'S BEEN 5 HOURS ALREADY.

THAT GIRL ISN'T EASY.
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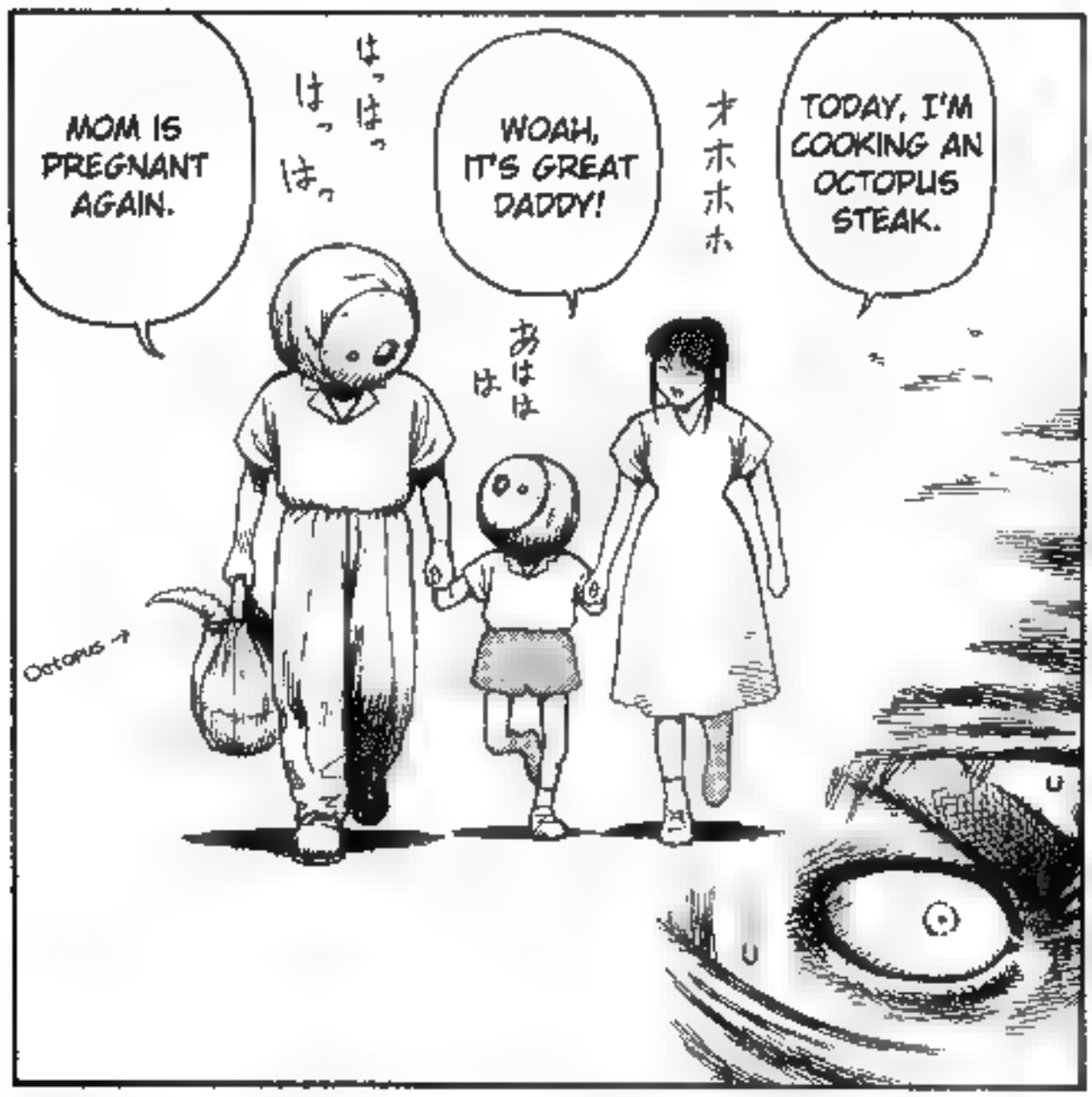
YES, BUT YOU HAD YOUR CHANCE THE FOURTH AND FIFTH DAYS.

YOU IDIOT, I WON'T LET JUNKO GET MOLESTED BY SUCH A WANKER.
MAYBE THEY'RE ..


MOM IS PREGNANT AGAIN.
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WOAH, IT'S GREAT DADDY!
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TODAY, I'M COOKING AN OCTOPUS STEAK.
Octopus →

IF HE DRUGS AND TIES HER, EVEN SHE...
HOW-EVER...
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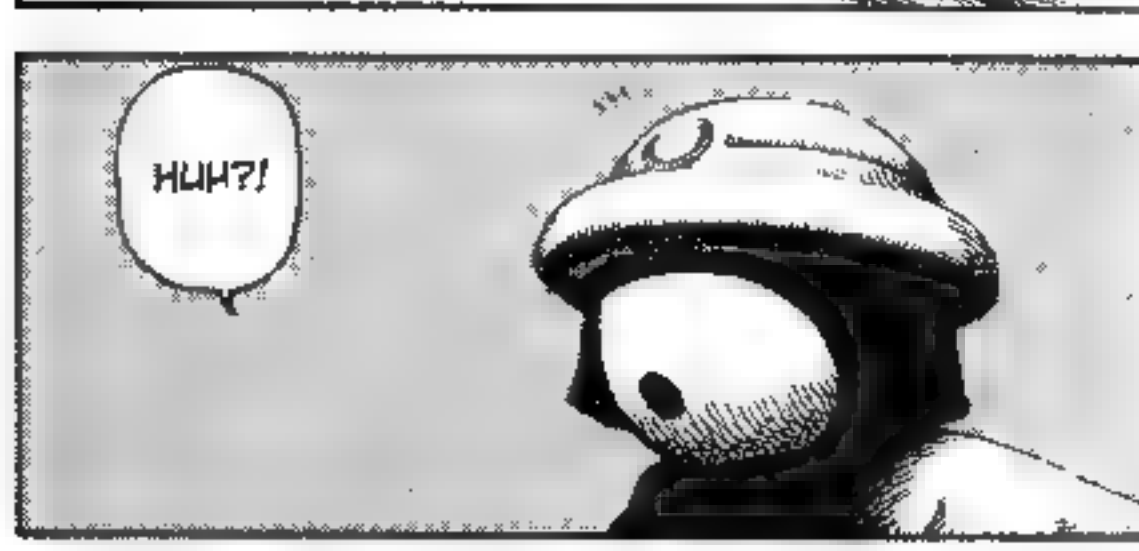
HUH?!

WHAT NOW?
MASTER!

MH?

LET'S HURRY.
AH.. AH...
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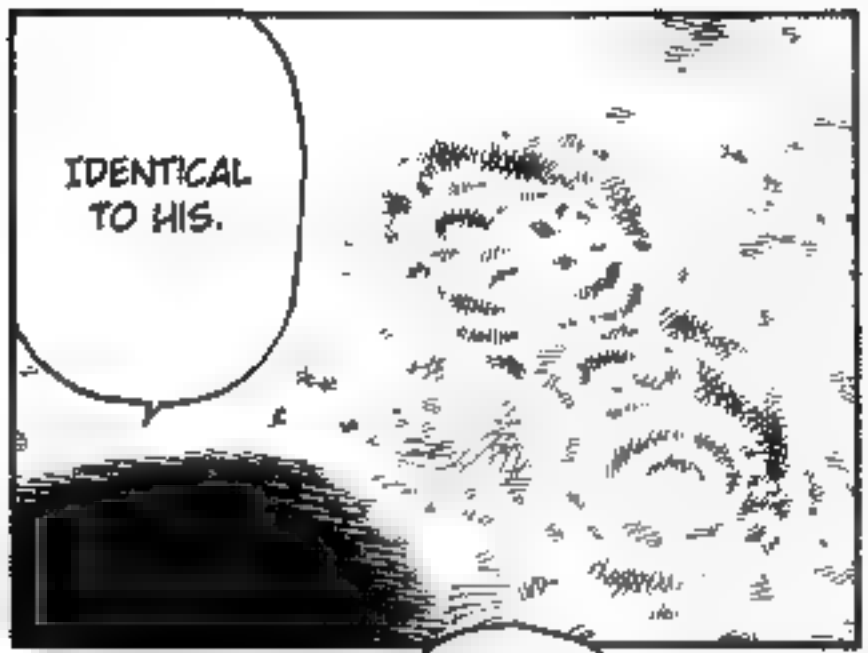
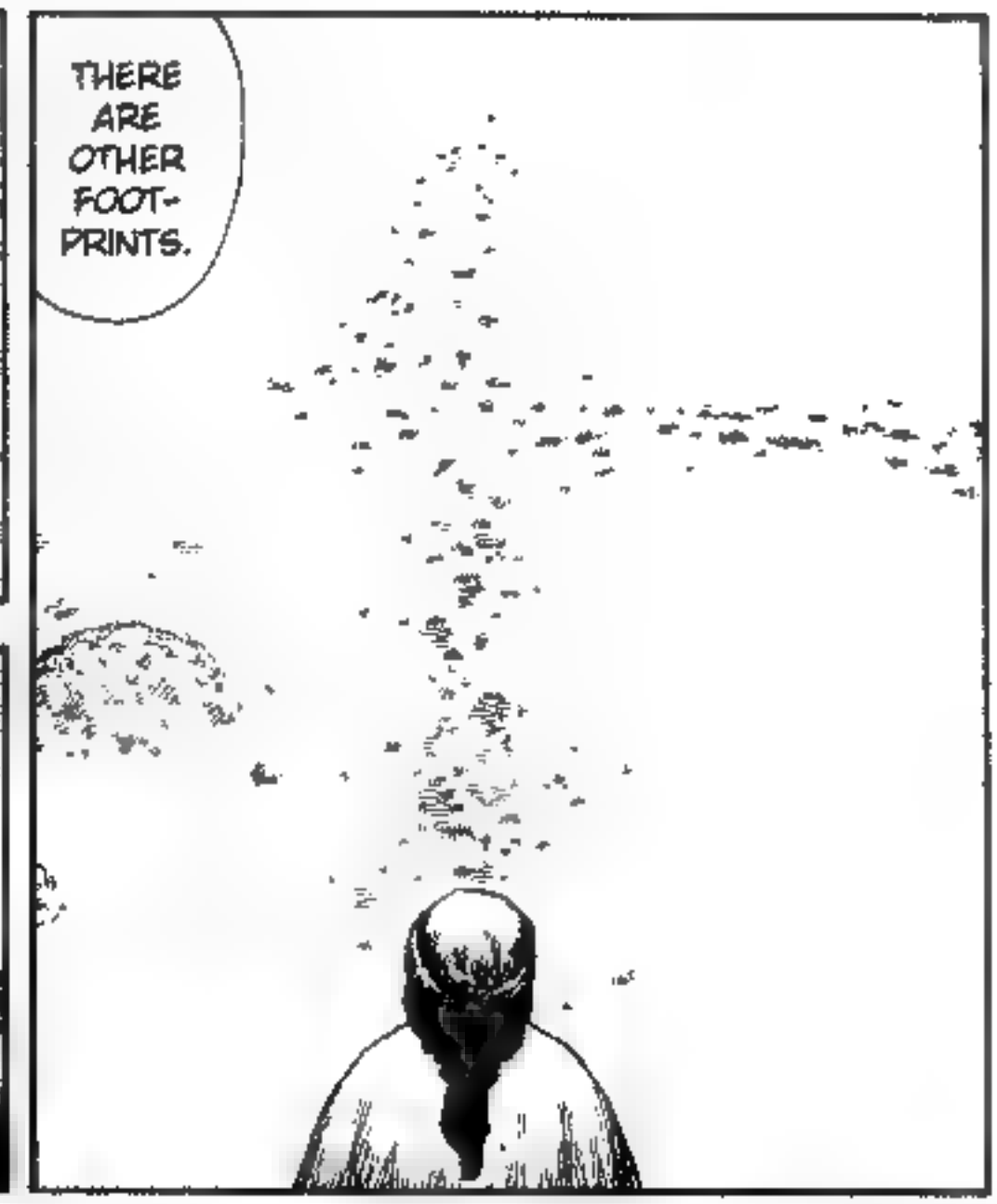
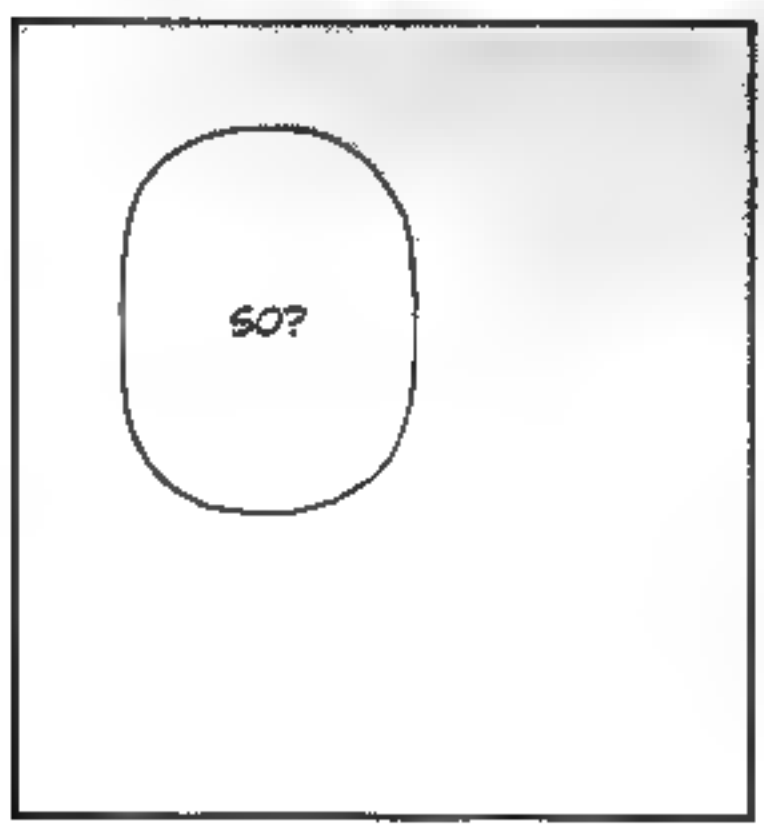

IDENTICAL TO HIS.

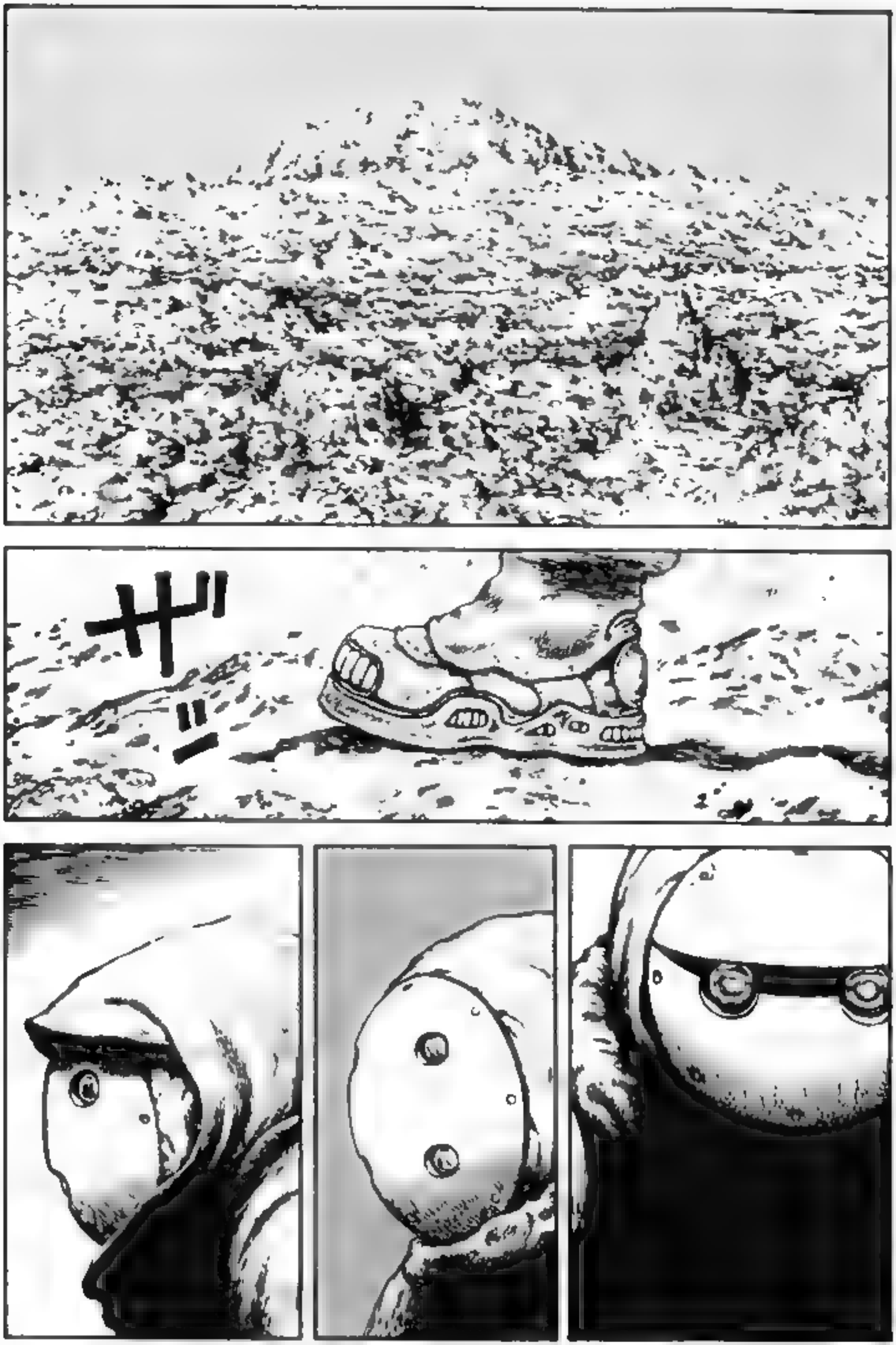

THERE ARE OTHER FOOT-PRINTS.

YEAH...
WOULD SOMEONE ELSE WEAR THE "SPECIAL" ?!

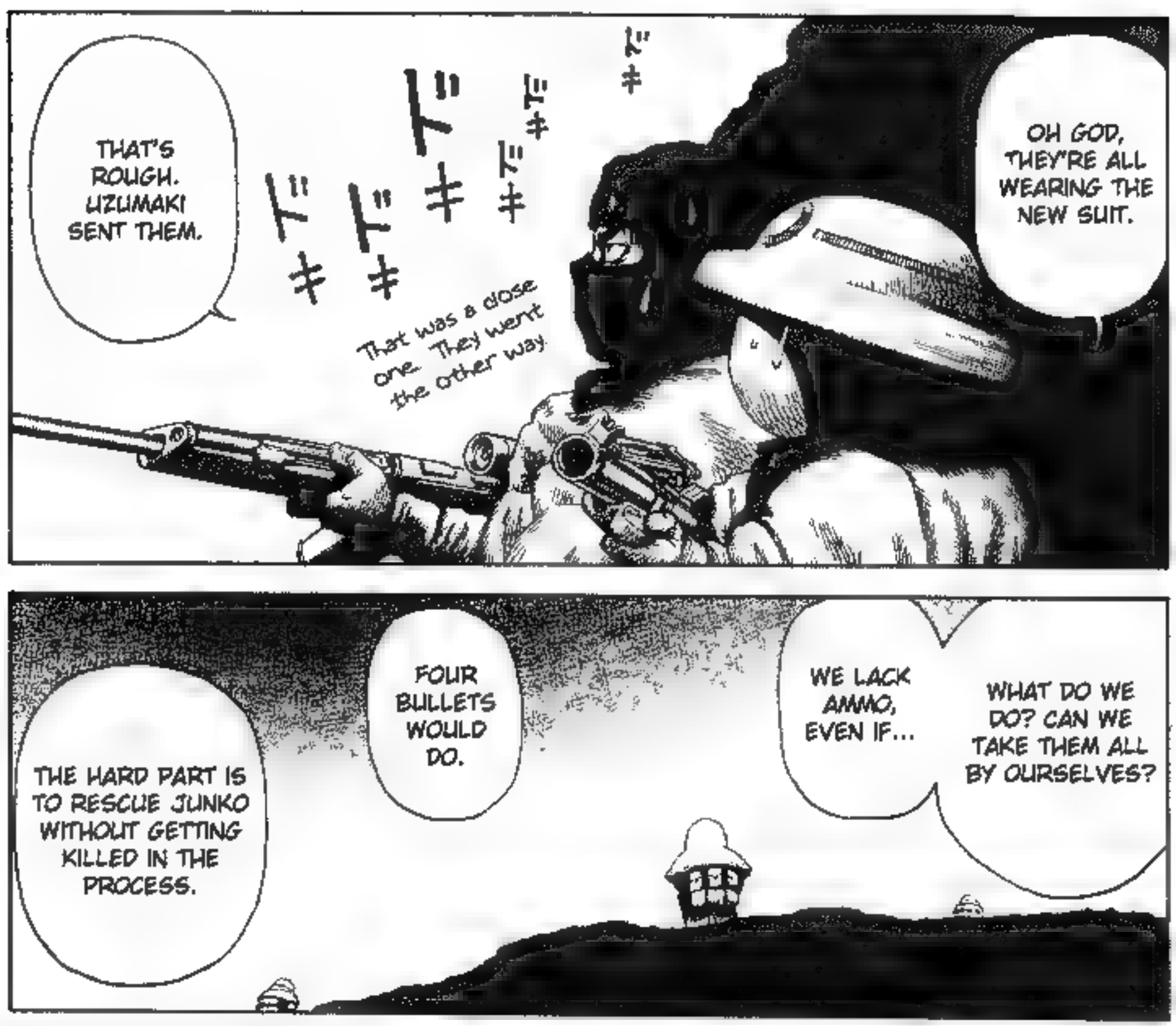
AND THERE ARE THREE OF THEM.


SO?

ALL OF THEM WEARING THE "SPECIAL" ?!



I'M IMAG-INING THINGS.


OH GOD, THEY'RE ALL WEARING THE NEW SUIT.
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That was a close one. They went the other way.
THAT'S ROUGH. UZUMAKI SENT THEM.
THE HARD PART IS TO RESCUE JUNKO WITHOUT GETTING KILLED IN THE PROCESS.
FOUR BULLETS WOULD DO.
WE LACK AMMO, EVEN IF...
WHAT DO WE DO? CAN WE TAKE THEM ALL BY OURSELVES?
HOW DID THEY MANAGE TO FOLLOW THEM?
IN ANY CASE, THESE THREE DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT THE EMITTER.
IT'S BECAUSE THIS WOMAN CAN'T KEEP HER MOUTH SHUT.
I'LL GET MY MONEY BACK, EVEN IF IT MEANS SELLING HER TO A SLAVER.
YOU MUST BE STUPID TO BE HAD BY SUCH A SCHMUCK.
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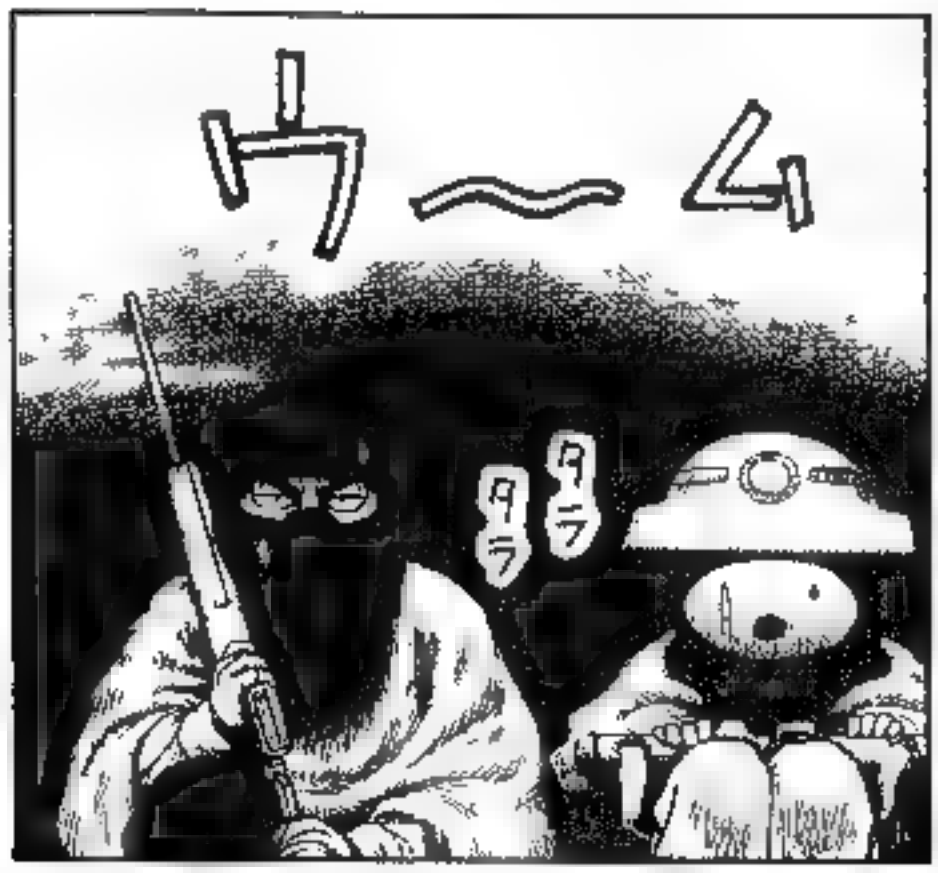
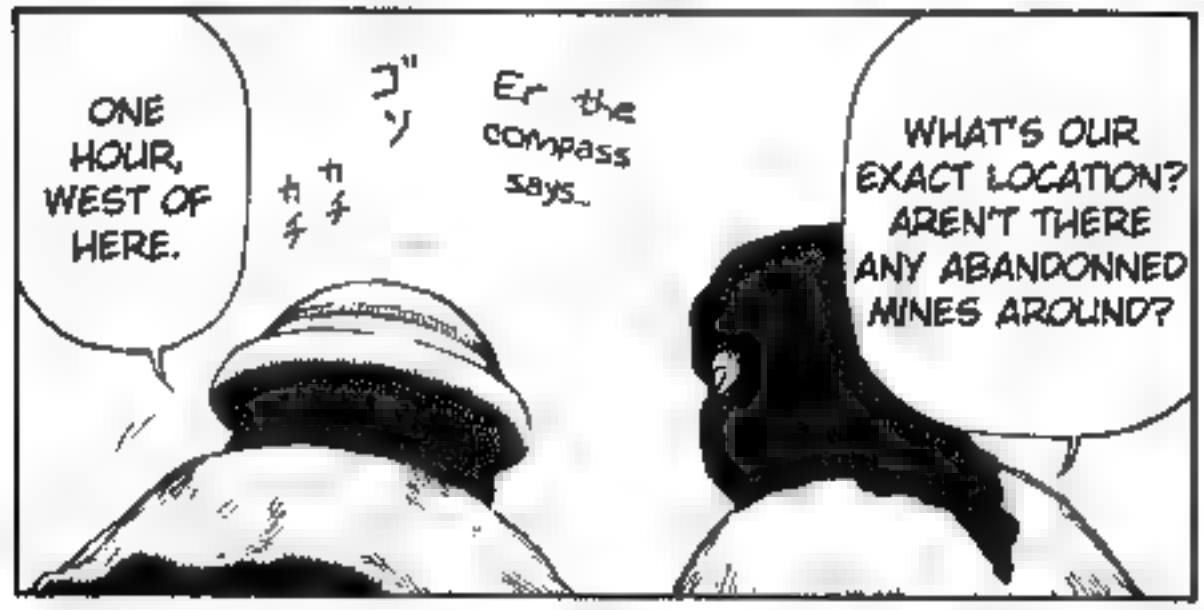
AH, I'D LOVE TO SEE HER DISAPPOINTED FACE.
WE MUST GET HER OUT OF THERE.

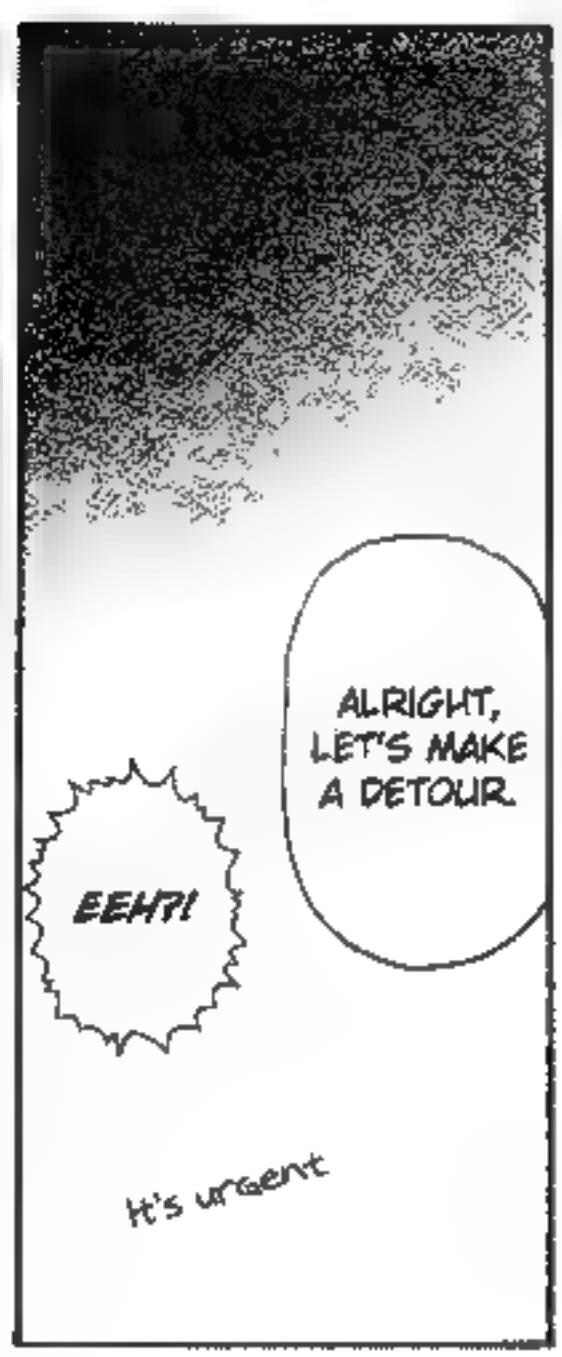


YES, SINCE THEY WEAR THE "SPECIAL".
ARE THEY PROS?


ONE HOUR, WEST OF HERE.
Er the compass says...
WHAT'S OUR EXACT LOCATION? AREN'T THERE ANY ABANDONNED MINES AROUND?

C'MON, LET'S GO.

THEIR TRAIL DISAPPEARED AT THE ROCK CLIFF. IT'S TIME TO FIND THEM.


ALRIGHT, LET'S MAKE A DETOUR.
EEH?!
It's urgent

MY LEFT ARM IS NUMB...
ALRIGHT, I'M AL-MOST THERE.
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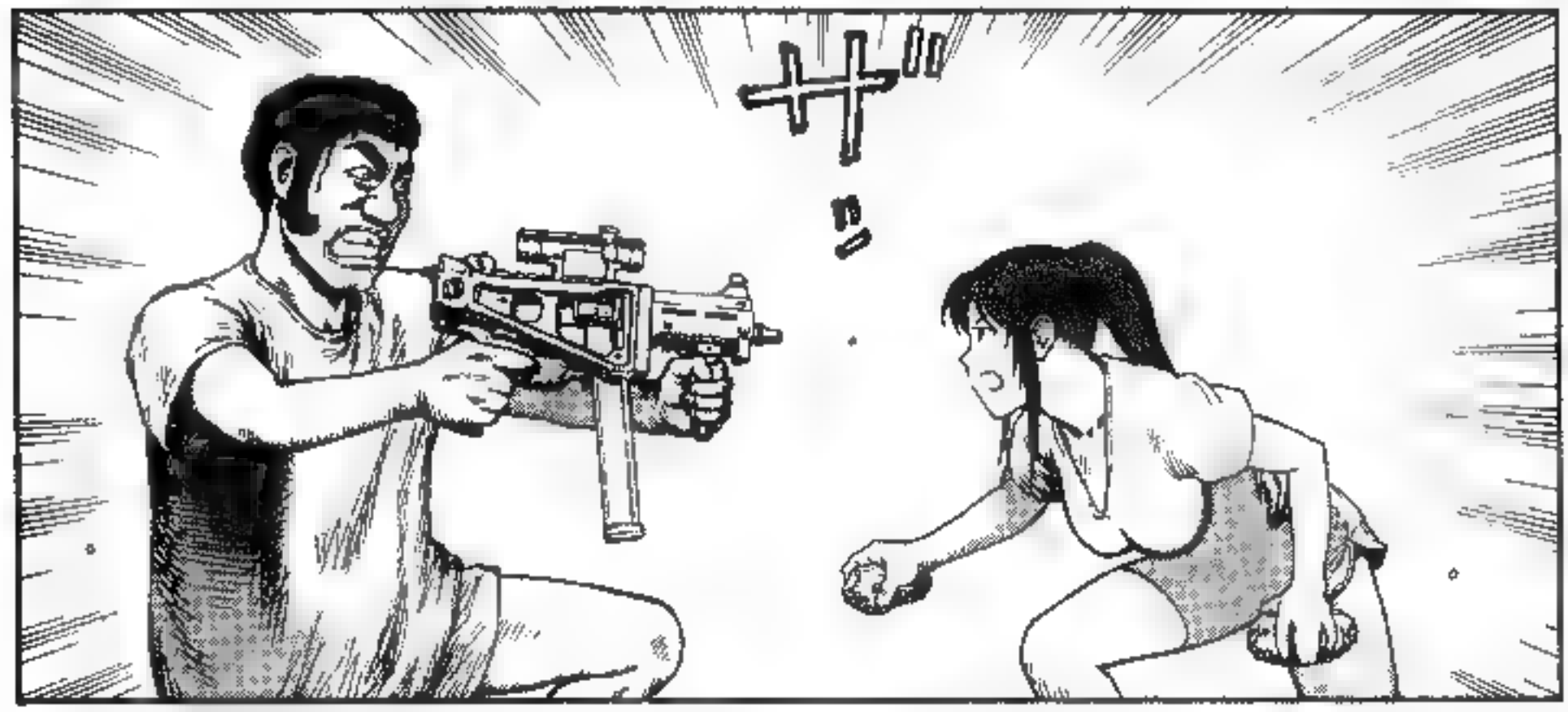
WHY DID I RELY ON SUCH A NOOB?
DUMB-ASS!!

I CAN'T STAND THEM.
NERDS...

YOU..!

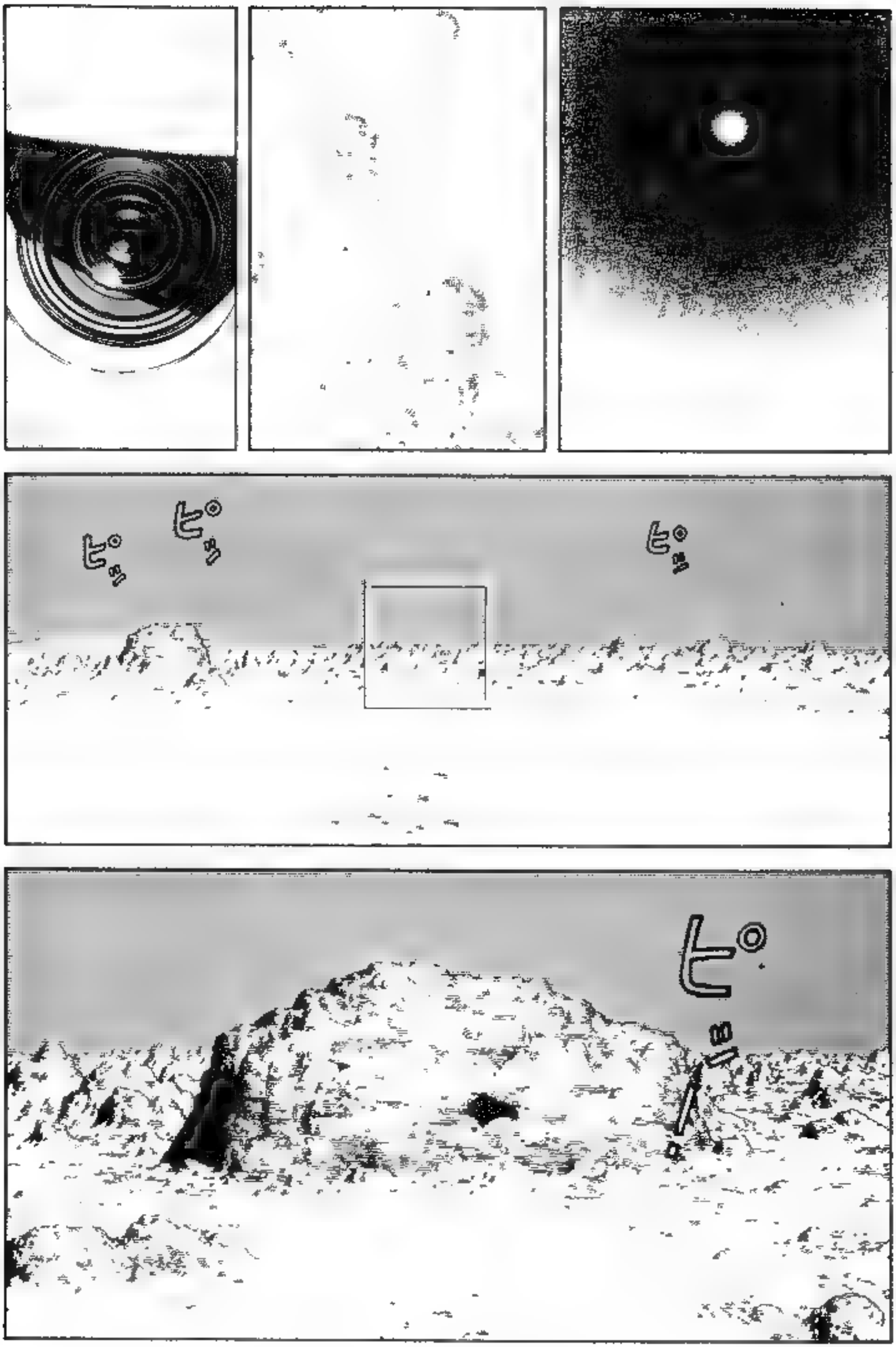
HA!



AH...

GO ON, I'D RATHER DIE THAN SUBMIT.
YOU WANT TO SHOOT ME?

THE DESERT REALLY IS A DANGEROUS PLACE.
YOU'RE AS SLY AS A FOX.



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IT HURTS...
AH, DAMN...
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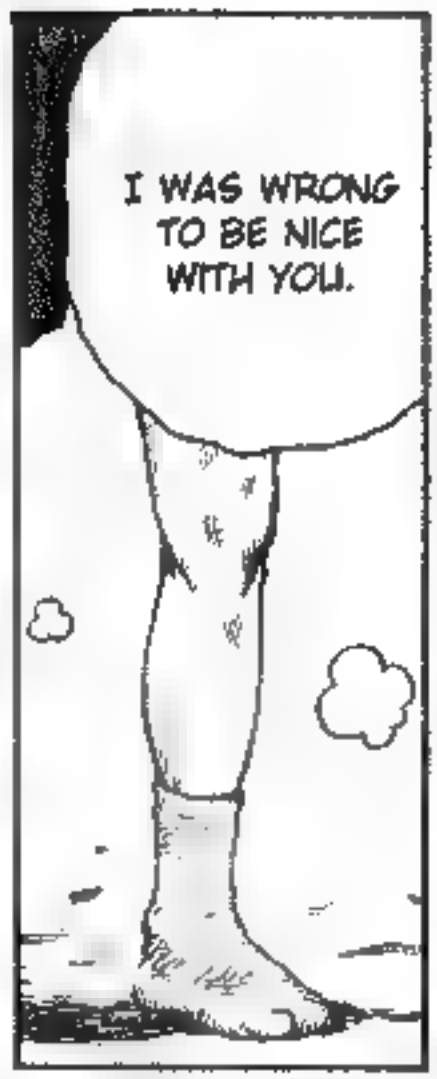
I WAS WRONG TO BE NICE WITH YOU.

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BUT A WILD BEAST.
YOU'RE NOT A RASCAL...

I KNOW HOW TO HANDLE YOU.
A BRUTE GETS ALONG WELL WITH A BEAST.
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WAAH!

WHAT THE HELL?

HE'S TAKING HIS PANTS OFF!

KAN, IT'S NOW OR NEVER!

KHYAAA!

GHAA!

WHAT?!

HE'S HERE AT LAST.

IT'S SUNABO -ZU.

IT'S NOT SUNABO-ZU?!

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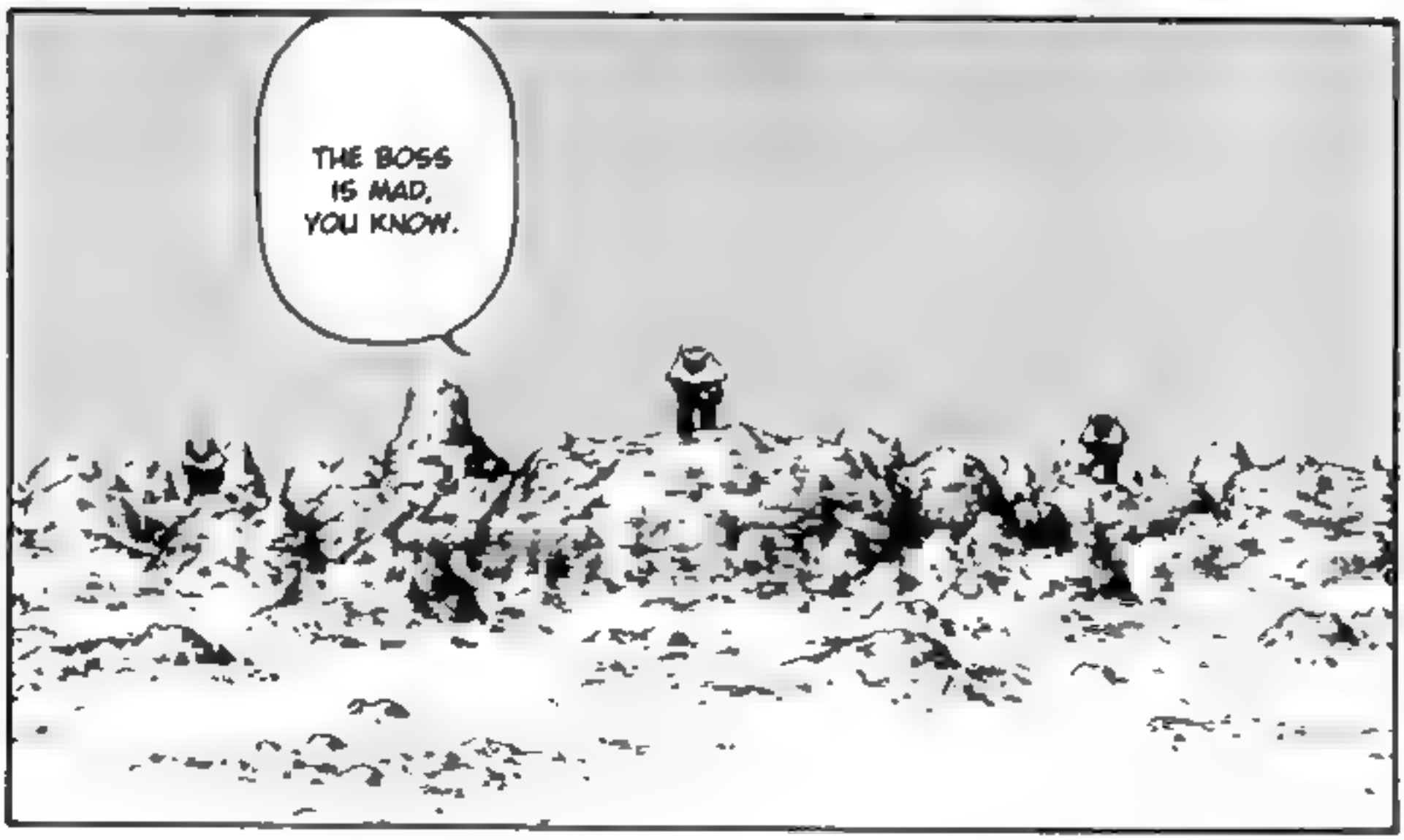
HEY, TANIGAWA!

HE MADE THINGS UP WITH HER.
THEY'RE HERE.


THE BOSS IS MAD, YOU KNOW.

WHAT?!
SOME GUYS SENT BY THE COMPANY.

WHO'RE THEY?!
WHAT IS IT?
WHAT?
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THE COMPANY'S PRODUCTS.
I RECOGNIZED THE VOICE OF THE MERCS WHO HELP TESTING
WITH THE OTHER MODELS OF SUIT, D, E AND F.

DO YOU REALLY WANT TO BE TURNED INTO SMITHEREENS ALONG WITH THE FILES?
TIME'S OVER.

WE'LL SPARE YOUR LIFE.
YOU HAVE 10 MINUTES TO GET OUT OF THERE WITH THE FILES, CALMLY.

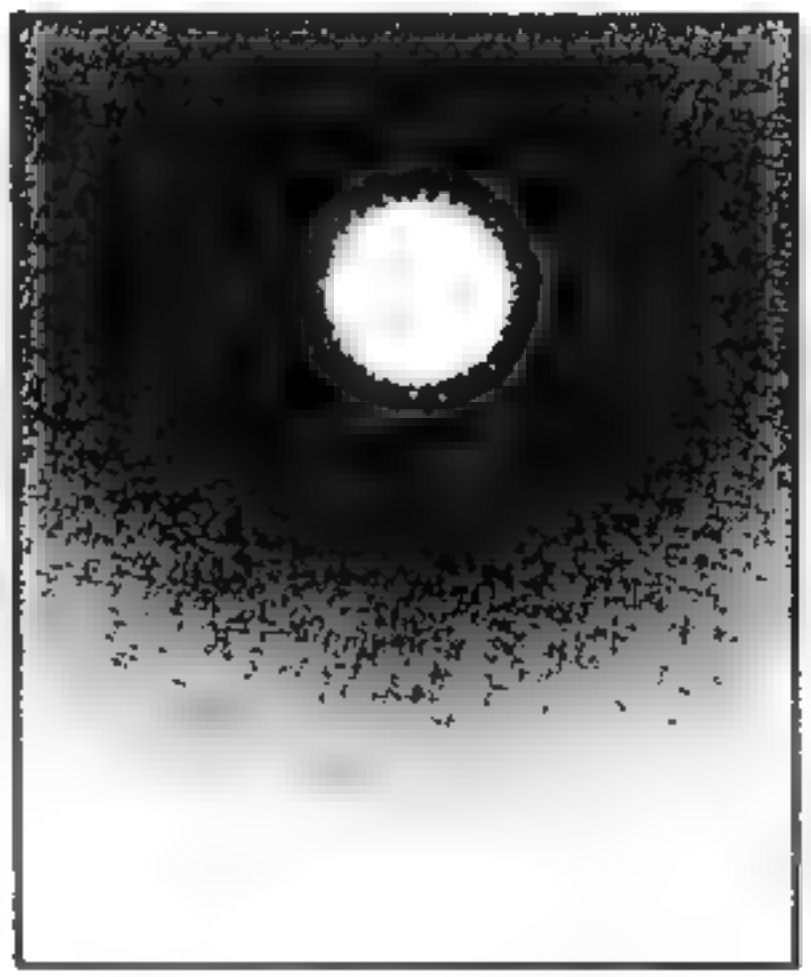
AND THEY WILL KILL THOSE WHO KNOW ABOUT IT.
THEY'LL PREFER TO DESTROY THE TRADE SECRET OF THE "SPECIAL" IN ORDER NOT TO REVEAL IT TO THE WORLD.

WE'RE STUCK.
WE SHOULD SURREN-DER.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

I SURRENDER.
I DON'T WANT TO DIE HERE.

She's unconscious

OW!



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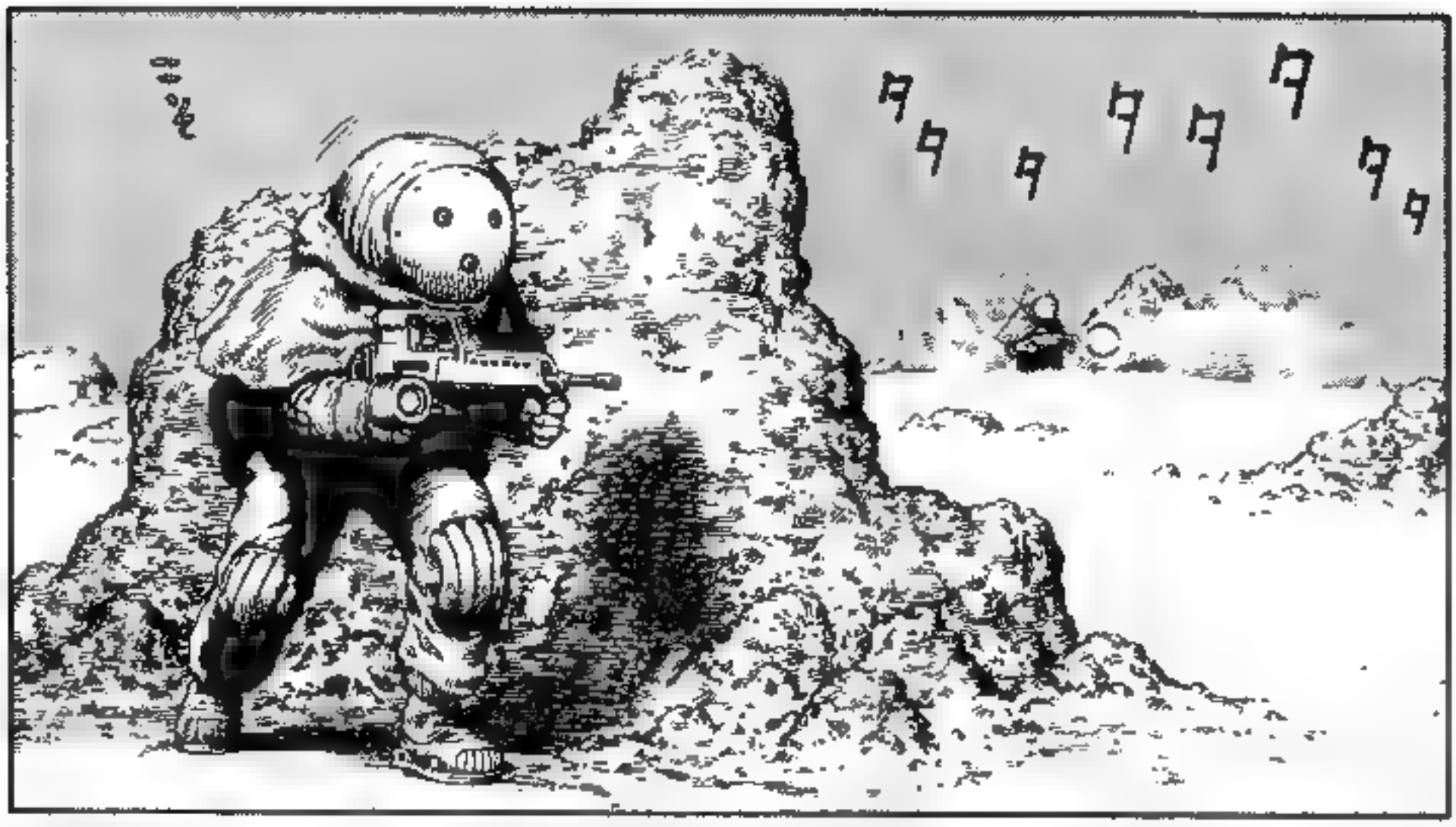

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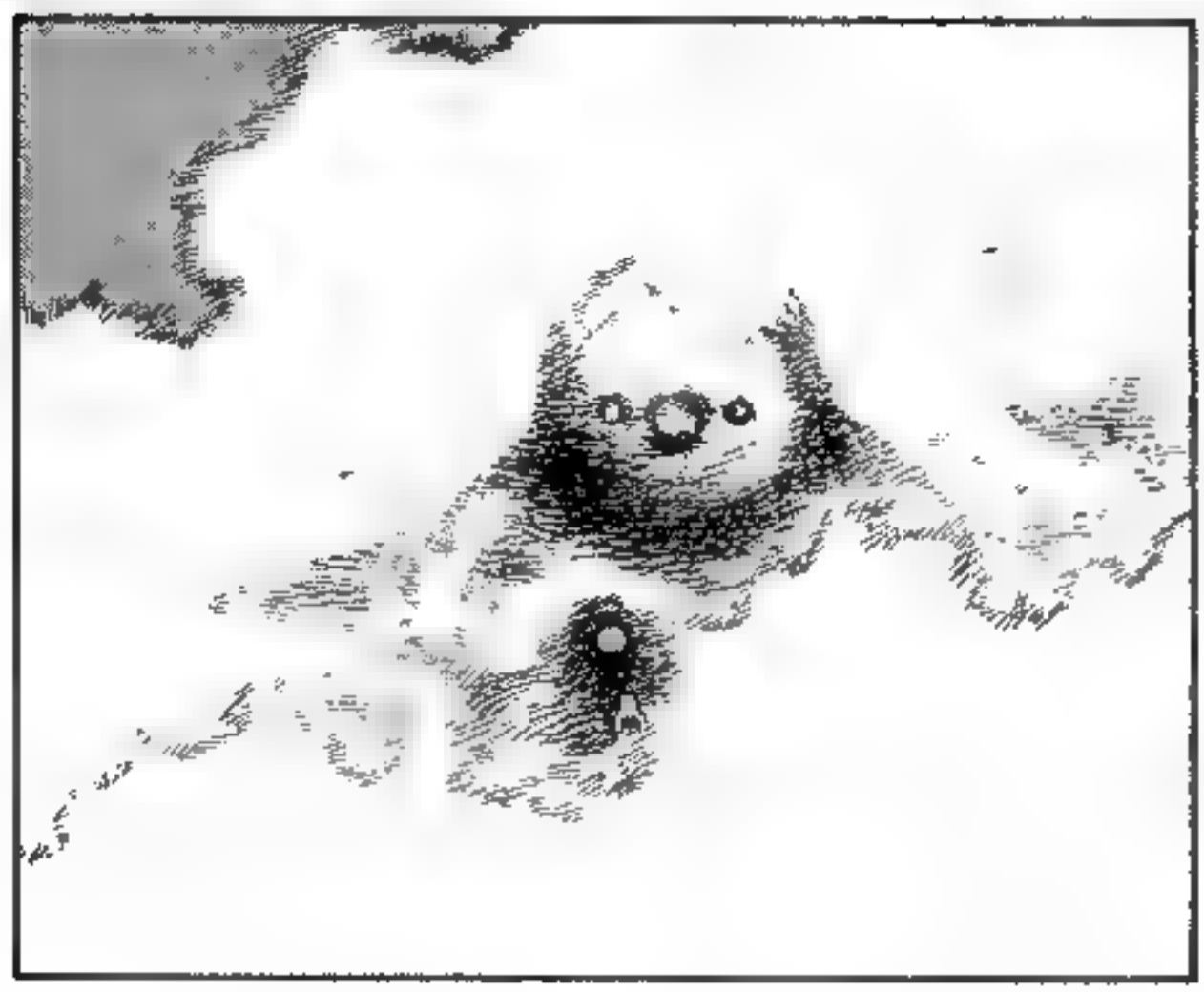

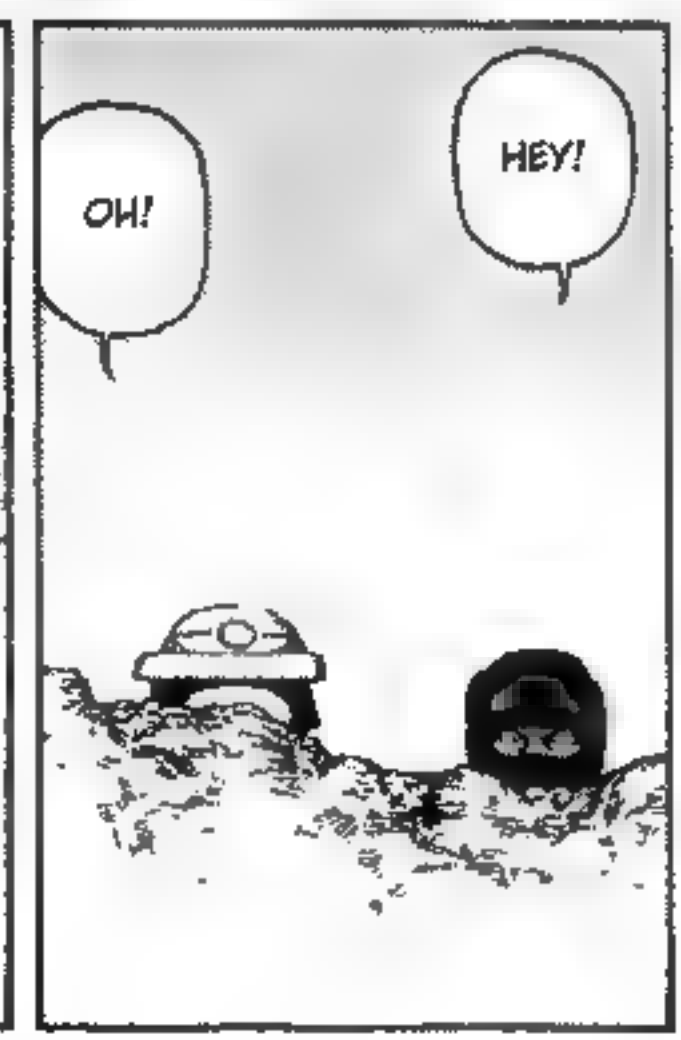
OH!
HEY!

HERE HE IS, WITH THE TYPE C!

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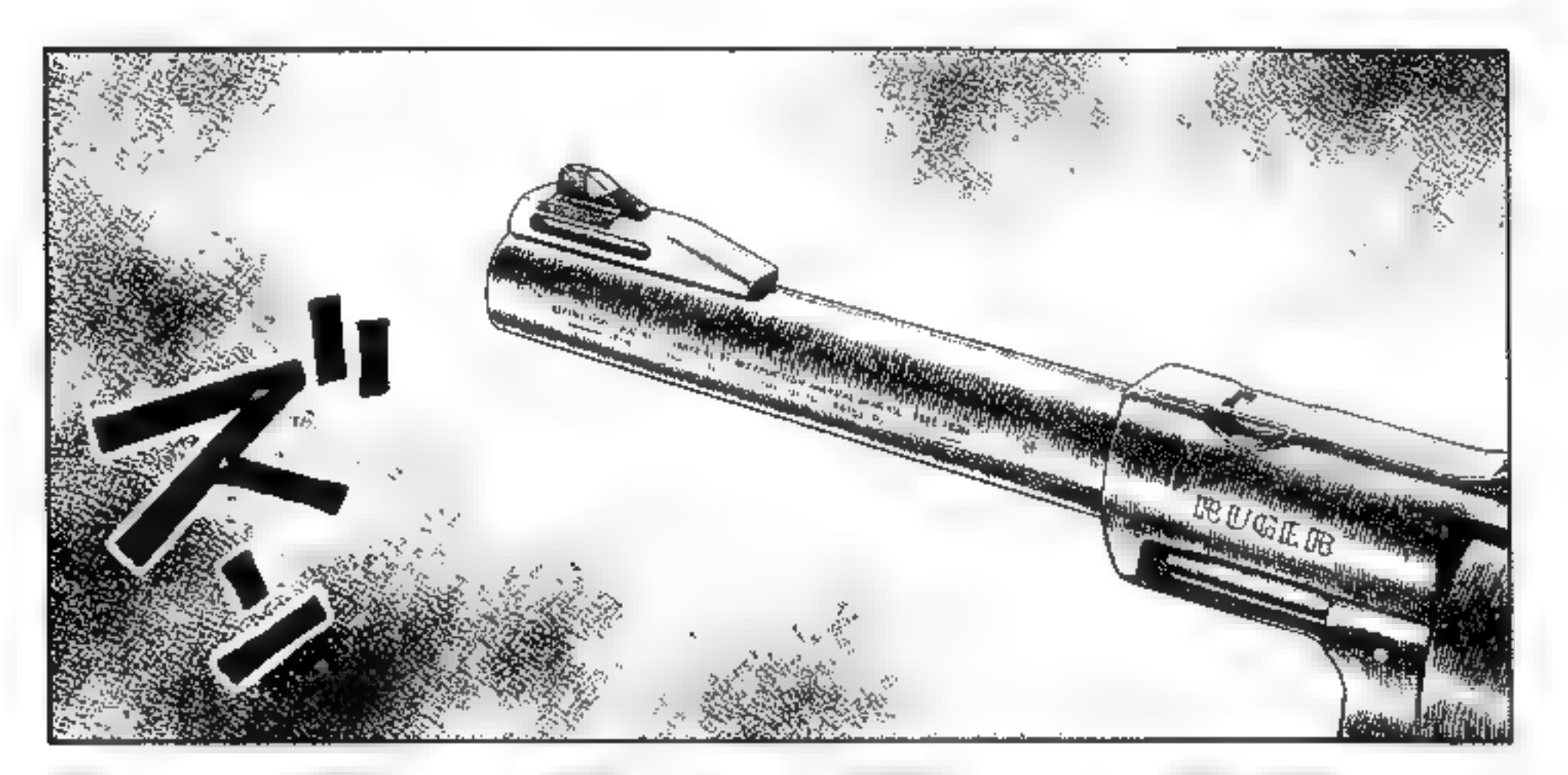
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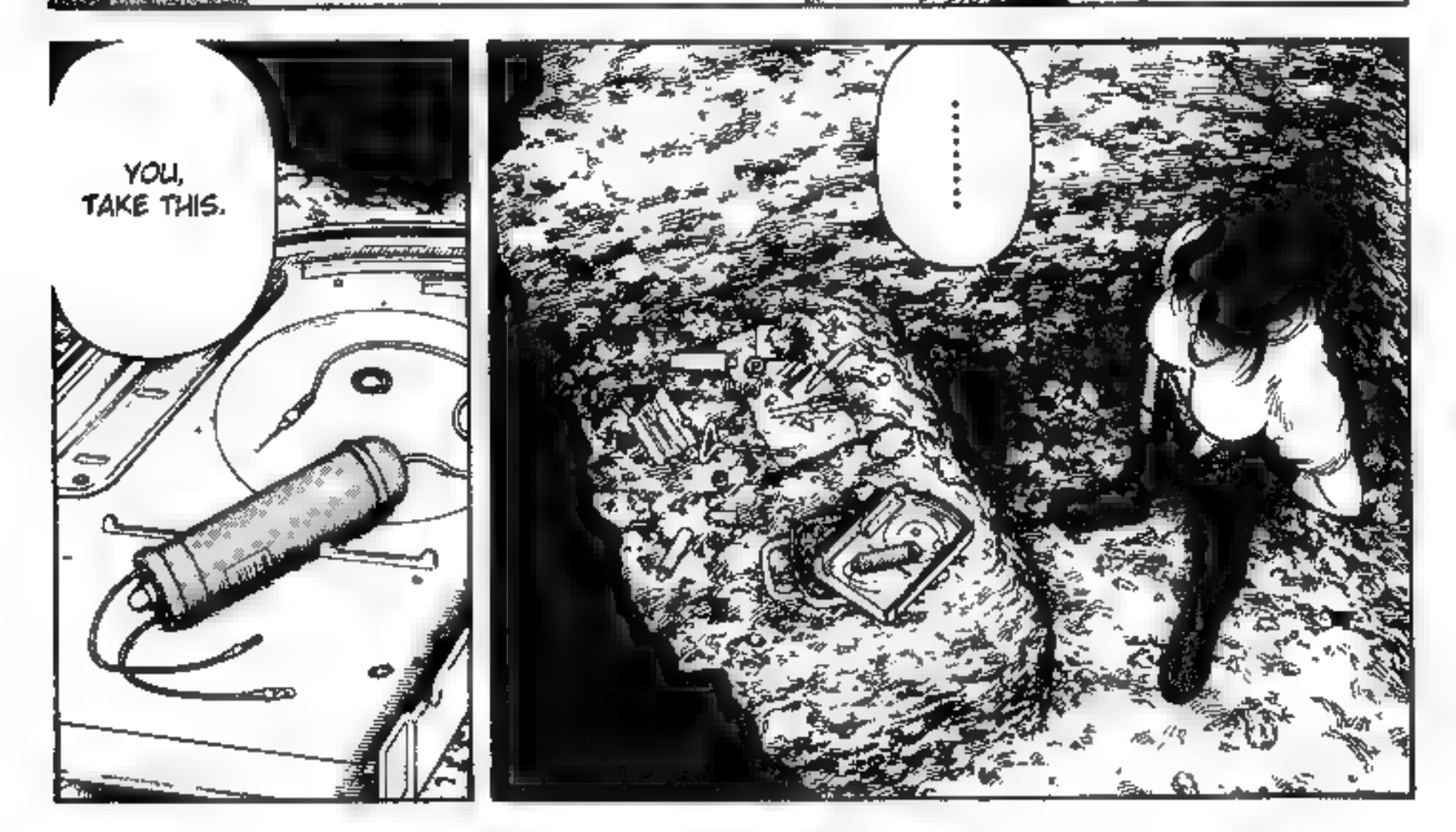
WHAT CAN YOU DO WITH THIS?
It's big and heavy
A MAGNUM...


YOU, TAKE THIS.
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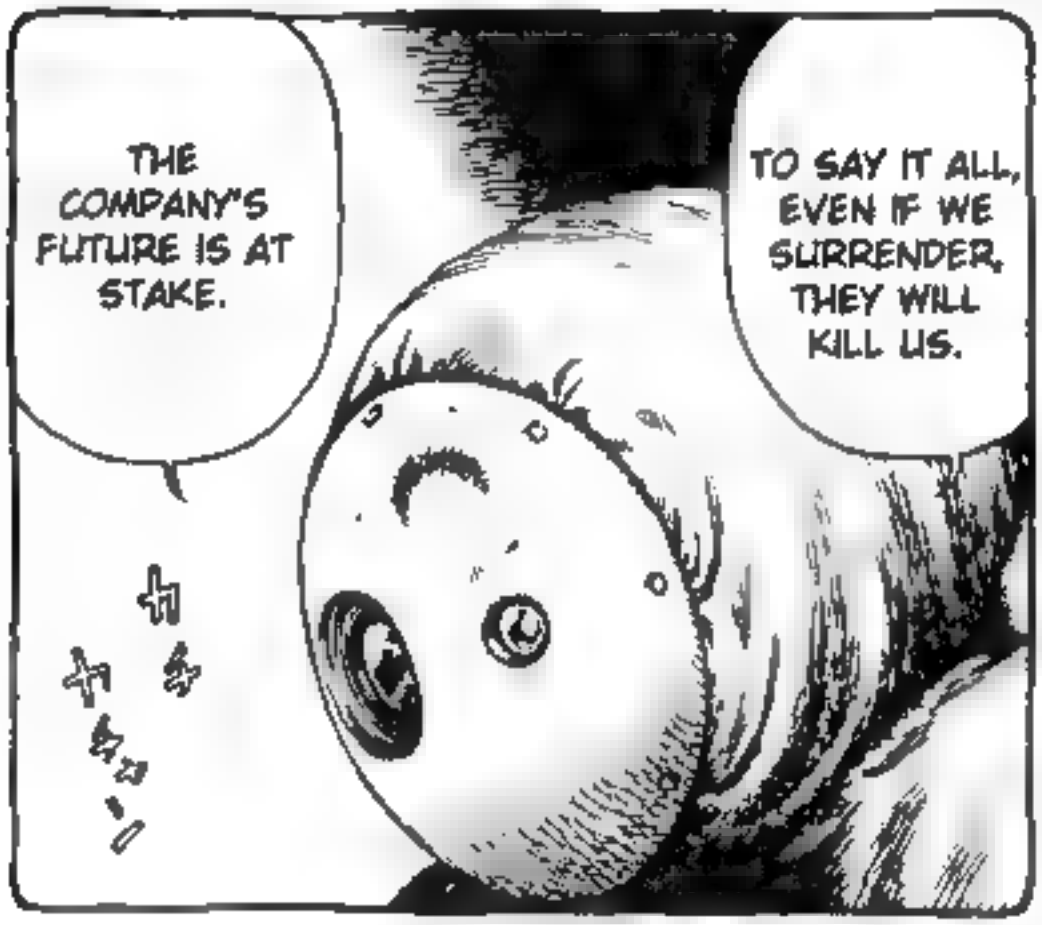
BUT THE EMITTER DOESN'T WORK ANYMORE.

I DON'T KNOW IF THE FILE IS INTACT...



I'M GOING TO DISTRACT THEM.

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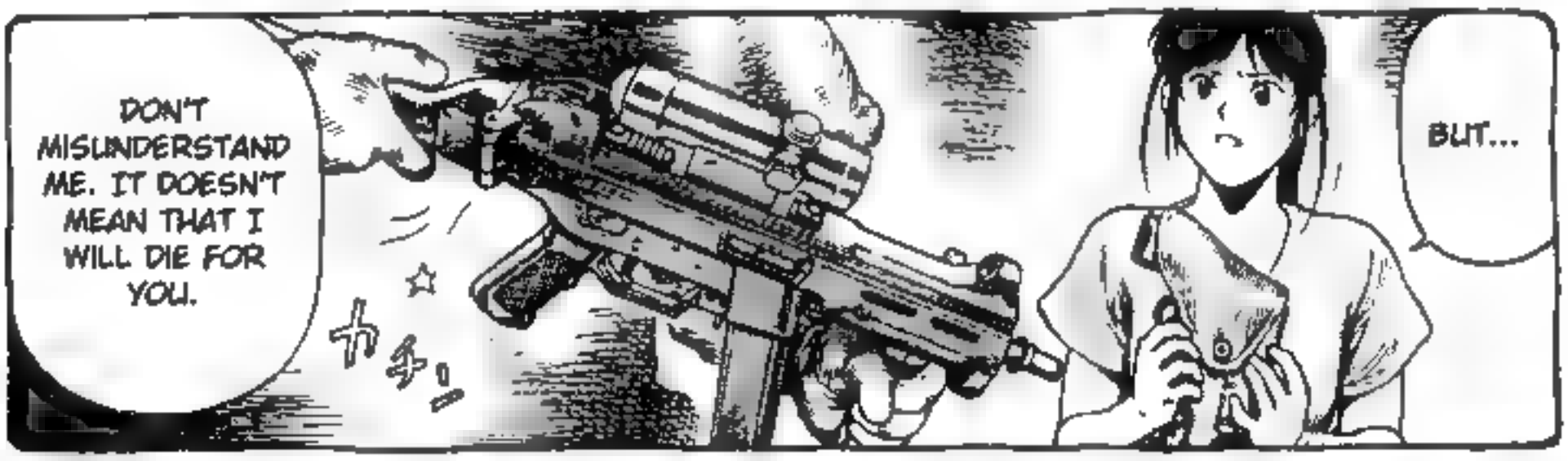
YOU'LL TAKE THE OPPORTUNITY TO FLEE.

I WAS TOLD NOT TO TRUST A DESERT WOMAN AND TO RAPE HER AFTER KILLING HER.

HEHE, WHEN I HEARD THIS, I SHUDDERED BUT NOW, I UNDERSTAND.



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TAKE RESPONSIBILITY.
COME ON!
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO DRAGGED US INTO THIS.
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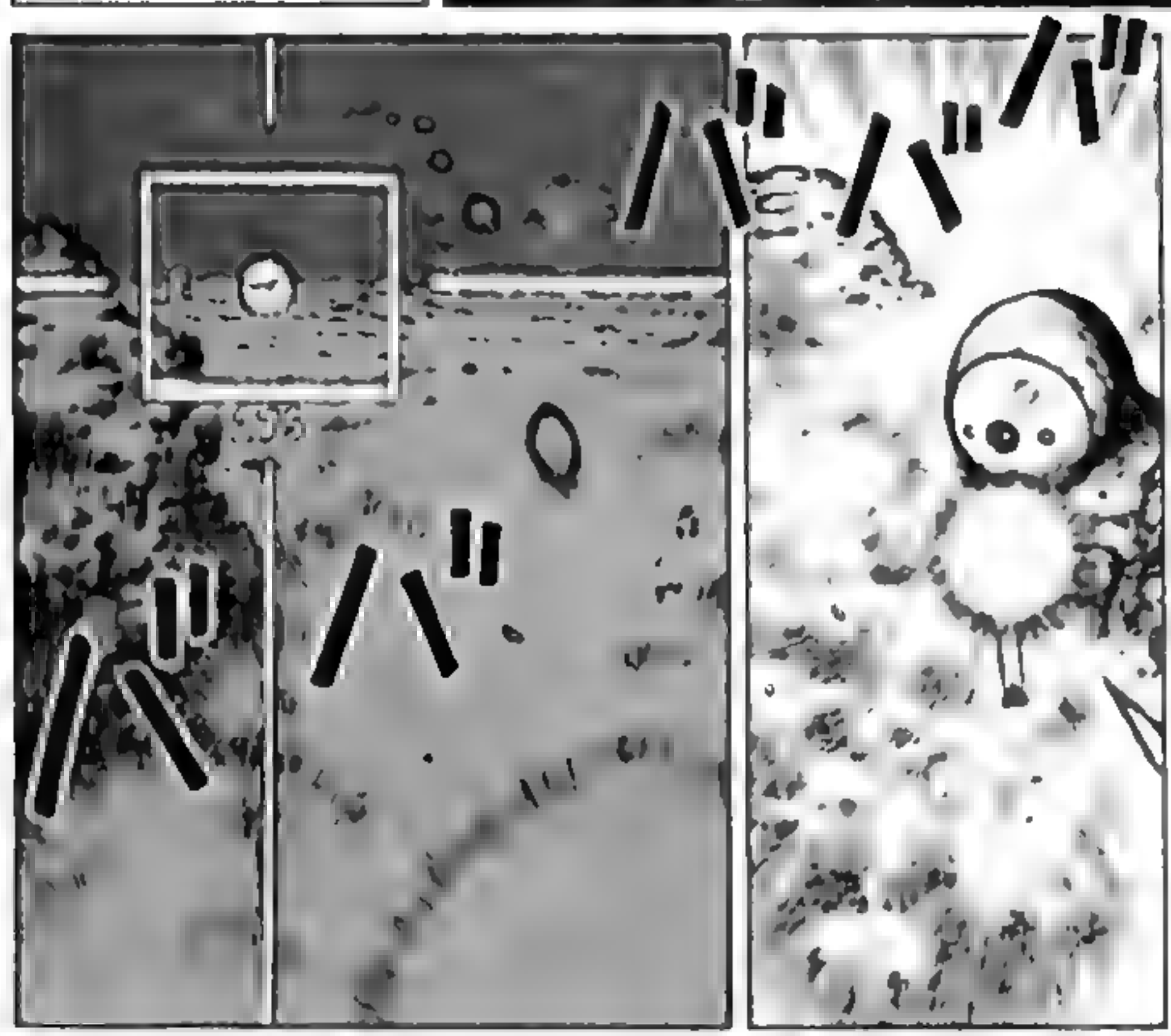
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IS IT POSSIBLE TO GET SHOT BY A PISTOL AT THIS RANGE?
SHIT!
AAH!

AH, WITH THE "SPECIAL", EVEN A NEWBIE BECOMES A KILLER.
IF THE WEAPON IS POWERFULL ENOUGH, THE AIMING TUNES ITSELF AUTO-MATICALLY ON THE TARGET DISTANCE.

Type F

WE NEED TO QUESTION HIM.
DON'T KILL HIM.

Type D

HE DITCHED THE GIRL, BUT WHY?
HE MOVED.
ASK HIM.
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FUCK IT, I'M GONNA CUT HIS LEGS OFF.

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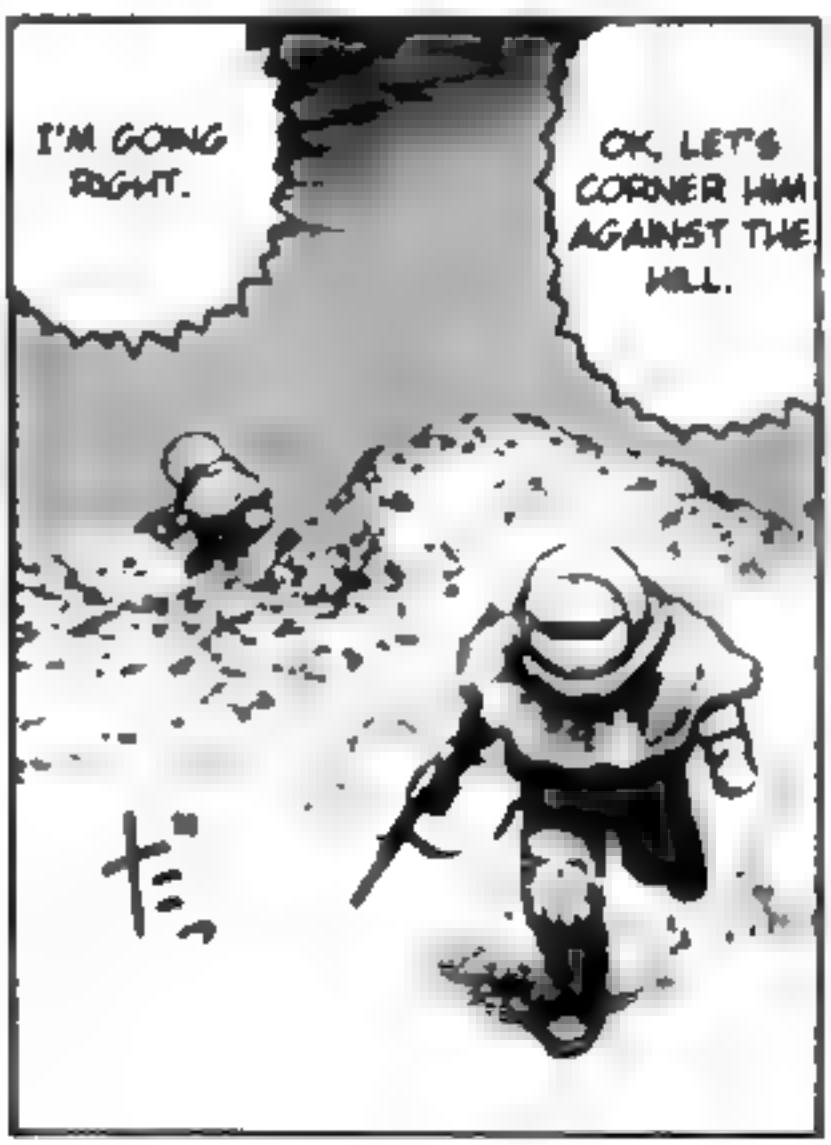

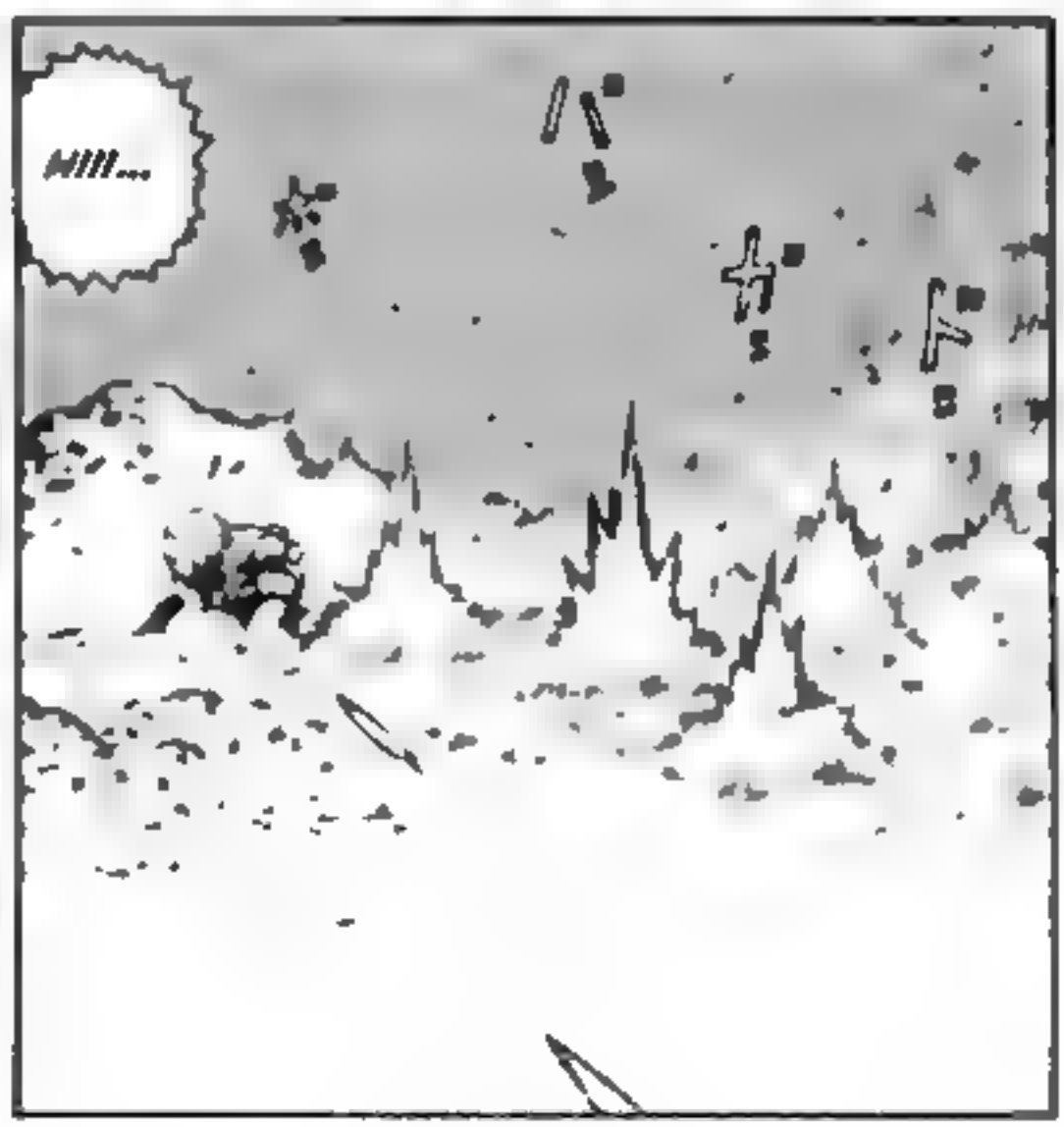

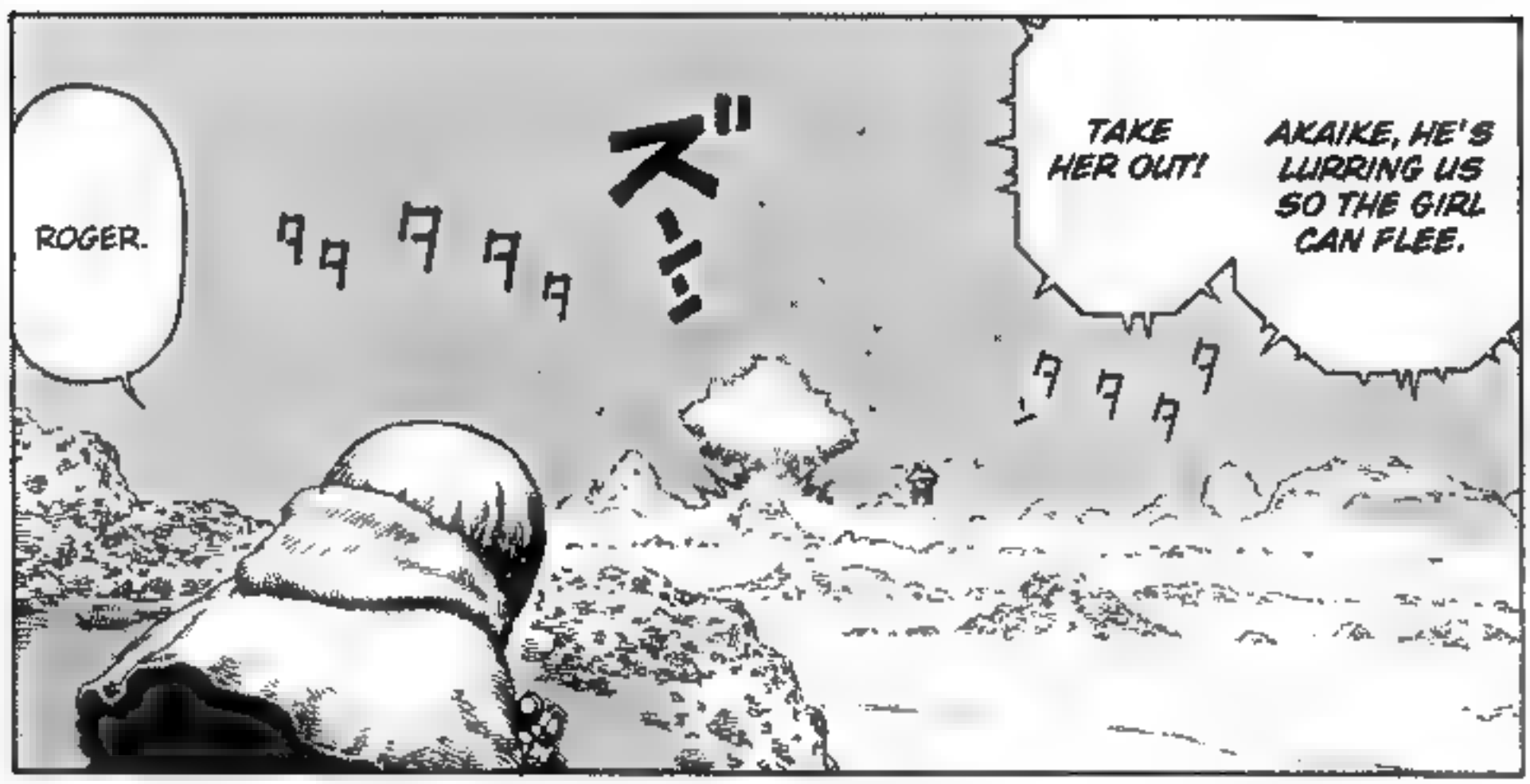
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TAKE HER OUT!
AKAIKE, HE'S LURRING US SO THE GIRL CAN FLEE.

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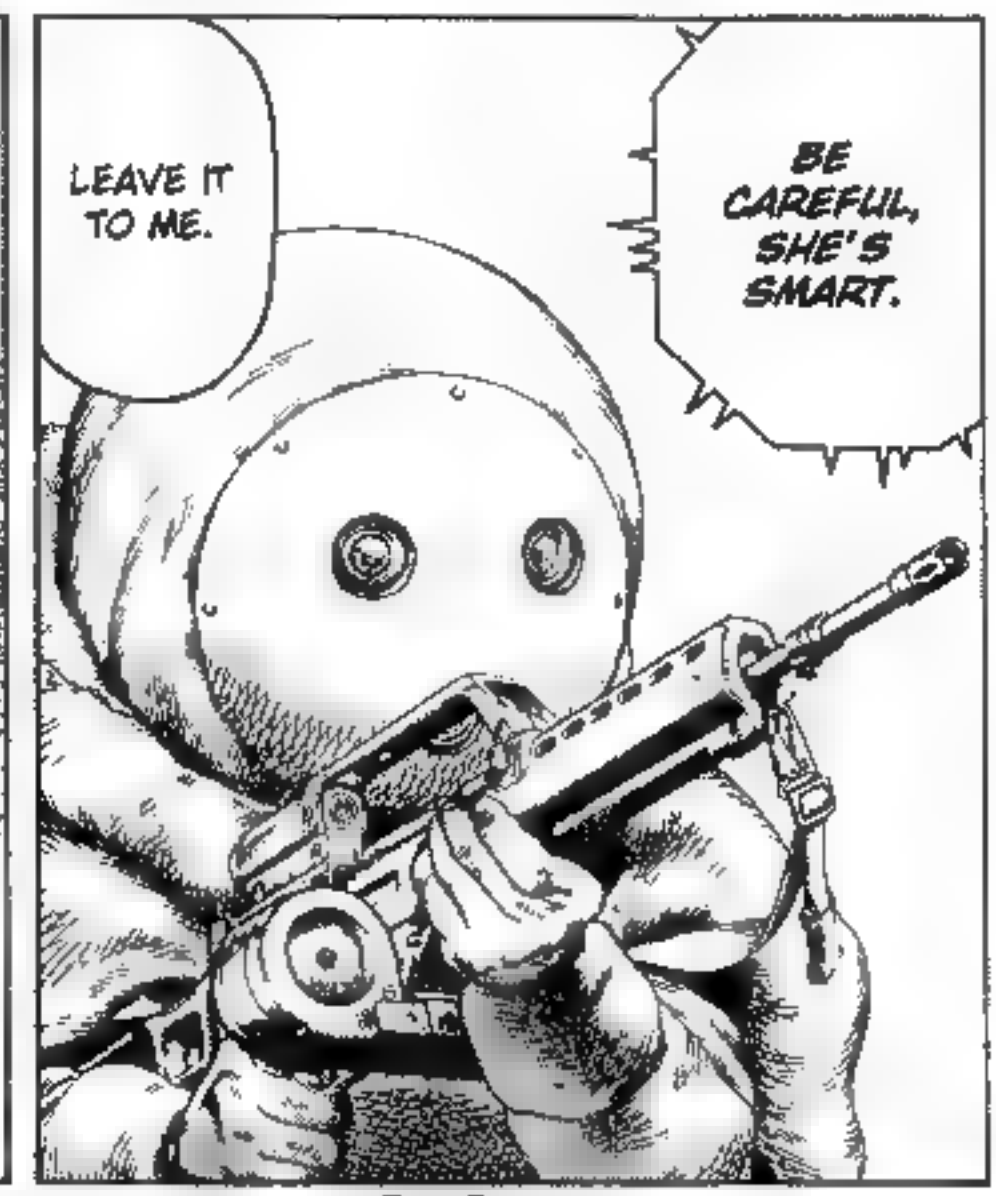
LEAVE IT TO ME.
BE CAREFUL, SHE'S SMART.

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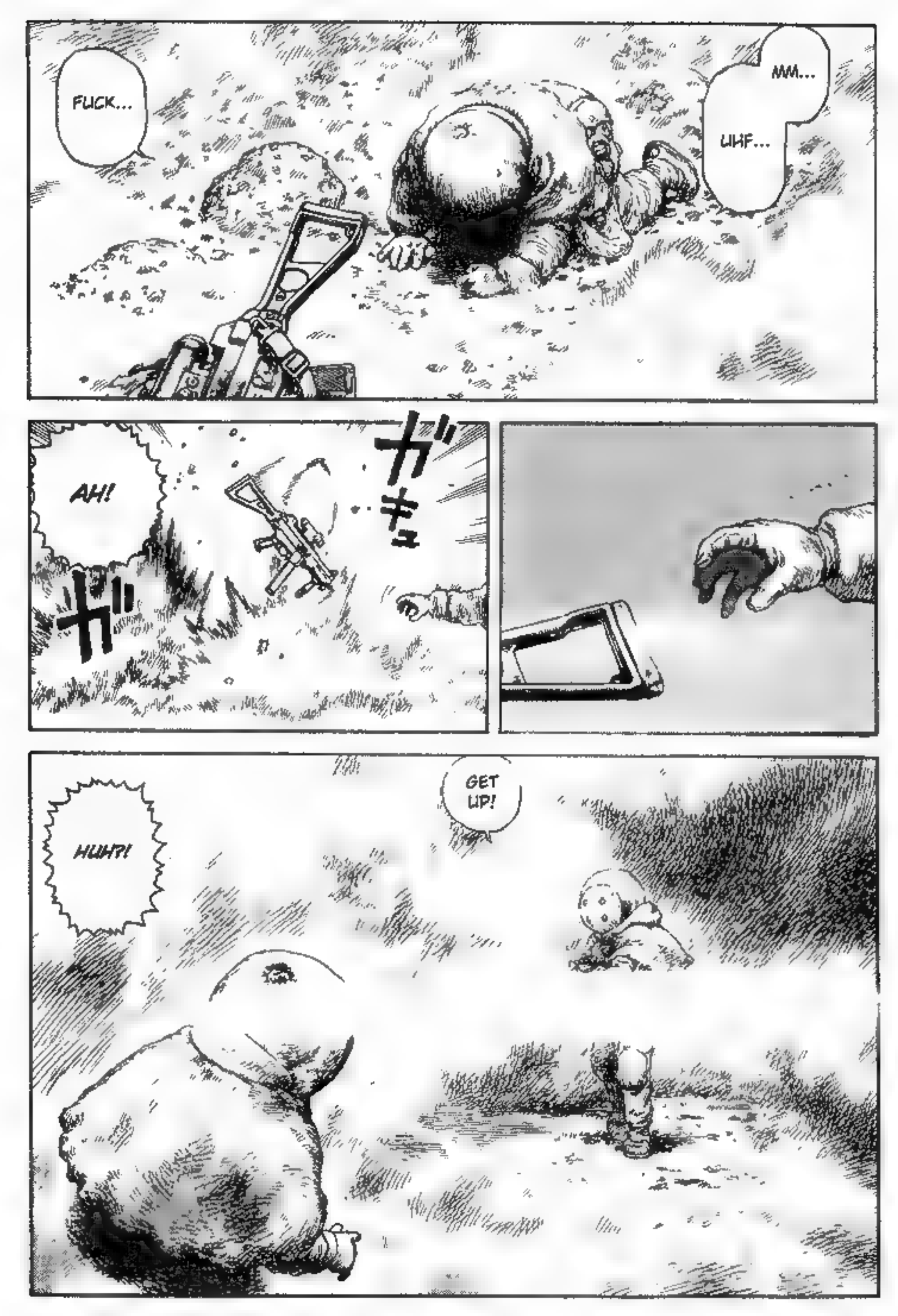
WAAAAH!


FUCK...
MM...
UHF...
AH!
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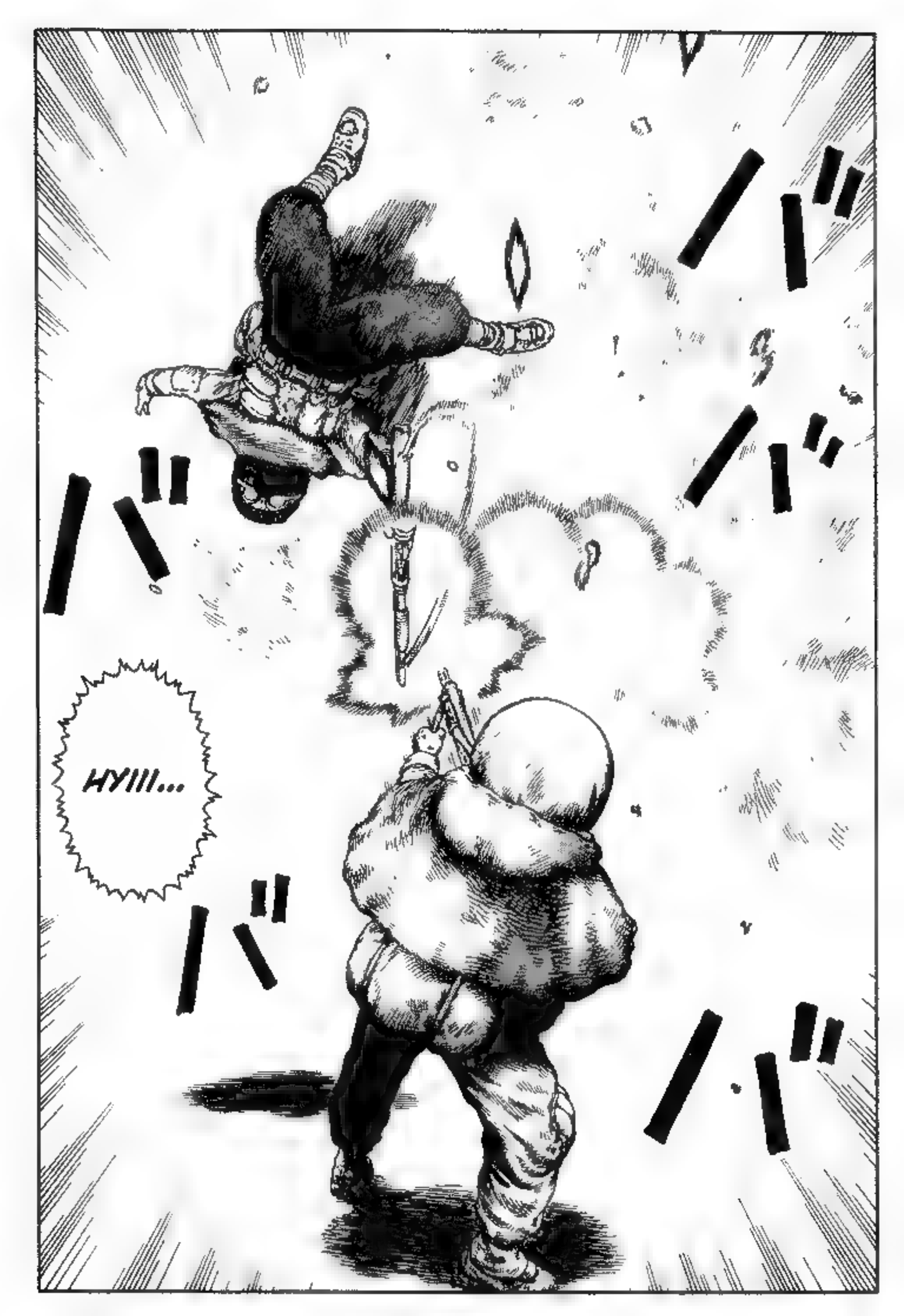
HUH?!
GET UP!

EH YES
IS SHE THAT HOTT?
FOR AN ENGINEER.
YOU'RE QUITE GOOD
THAT'S WHAT I LIKE TO HEAR.
HAHAHA!
OH!

HE SPOTTED ME?!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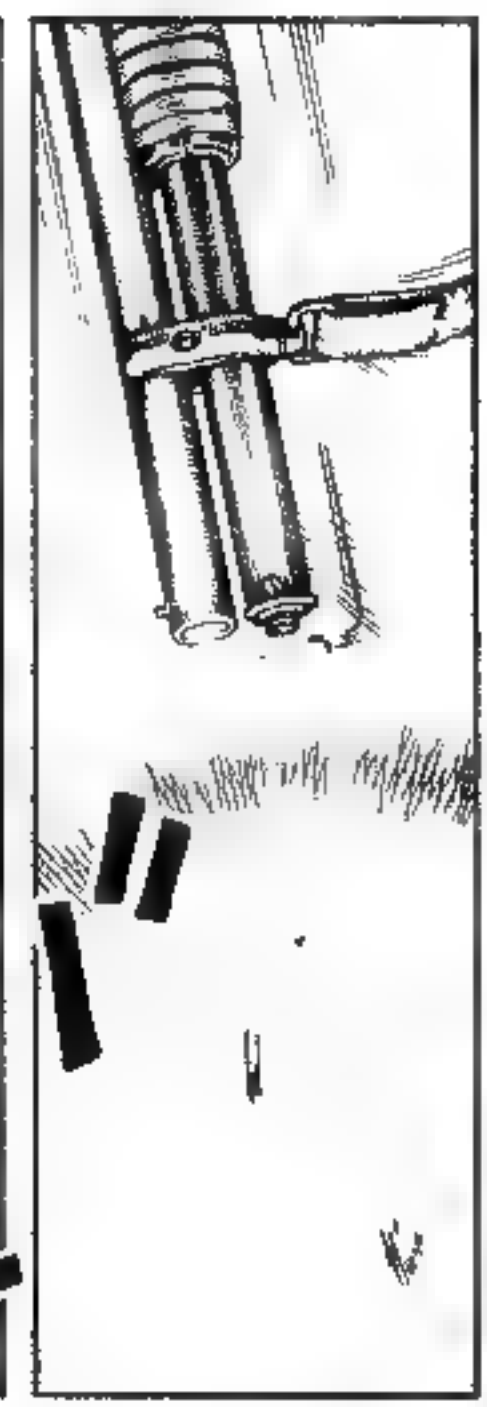
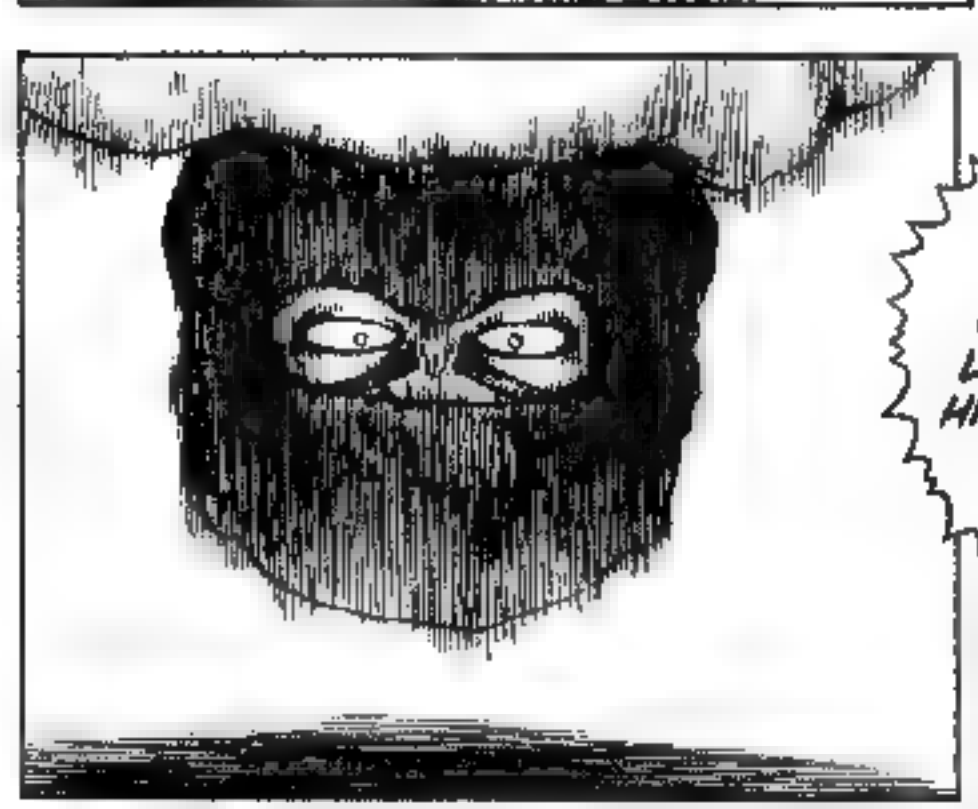
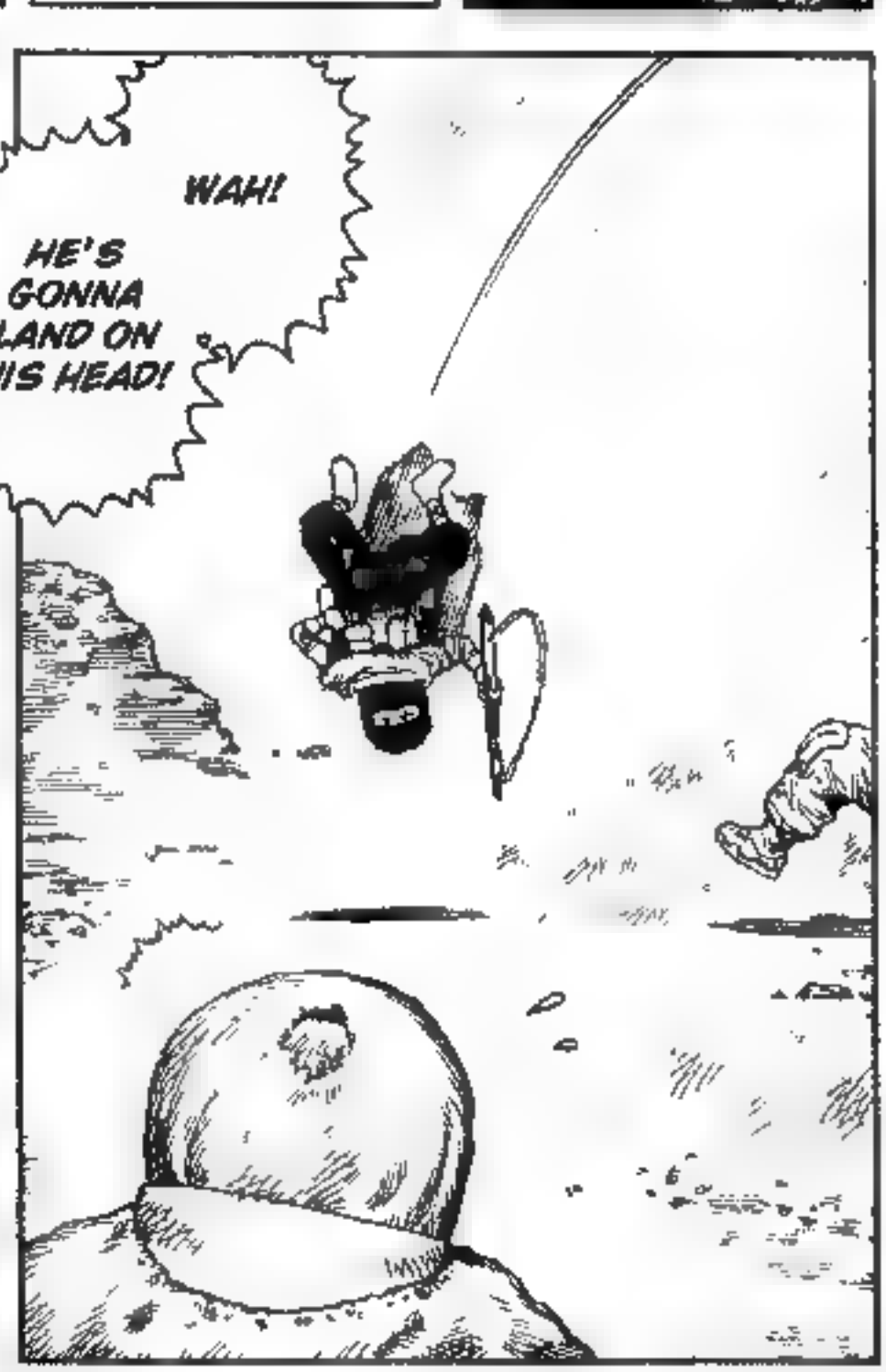
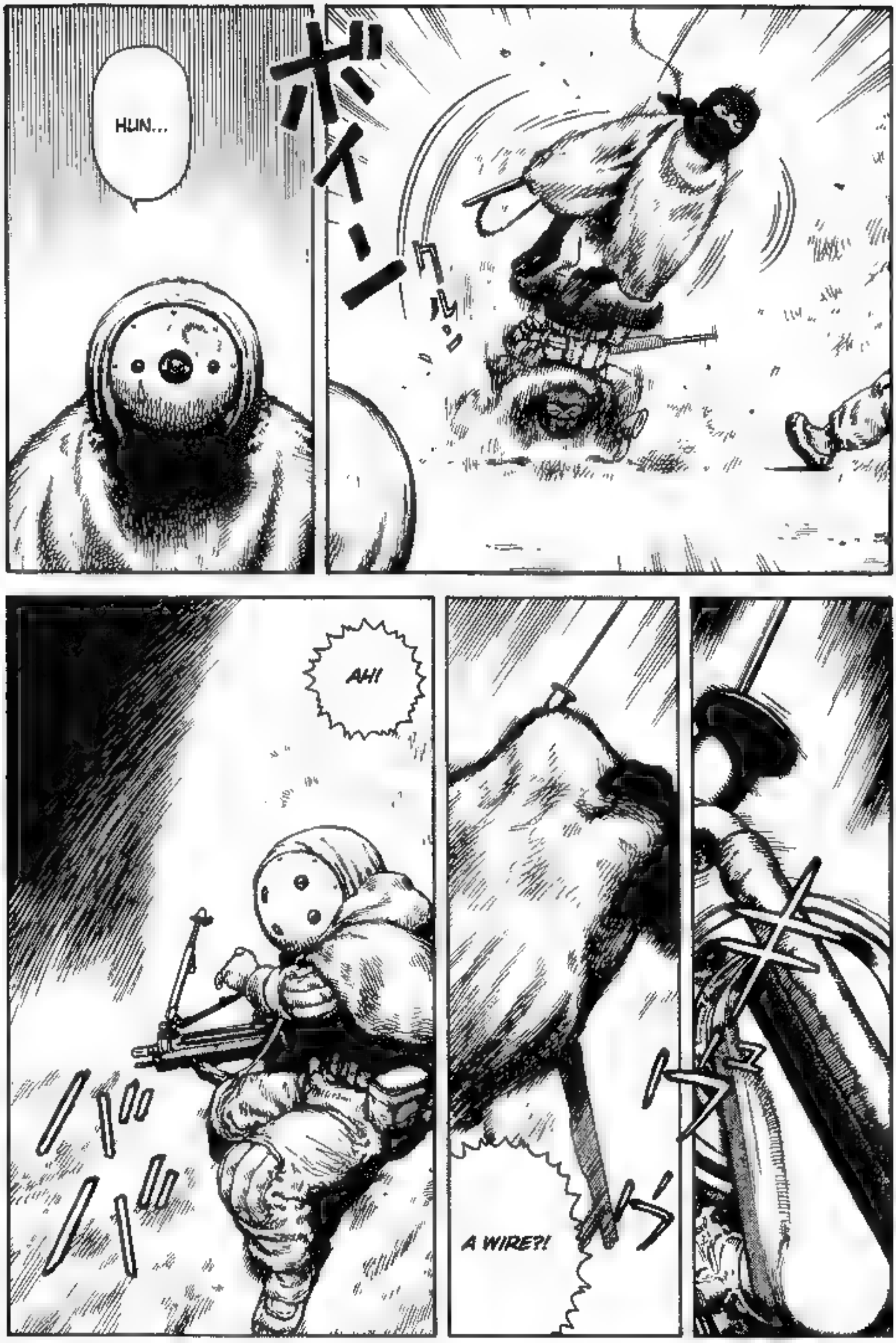


WHERE DID HE...?
WH...




WAH!
HE'S GONNA LAND ON HIS HEAD!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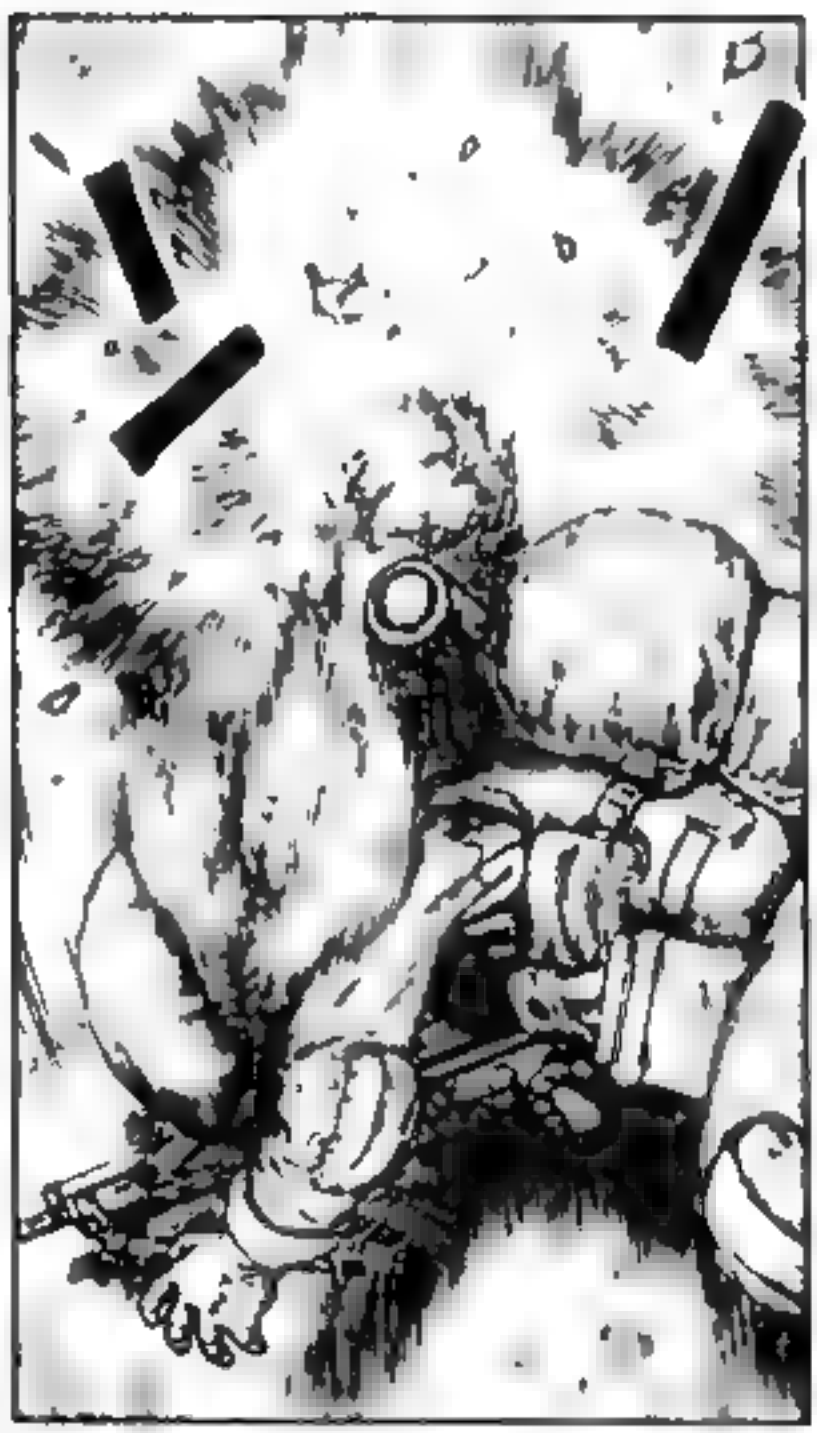
AH!
A WIRE?!



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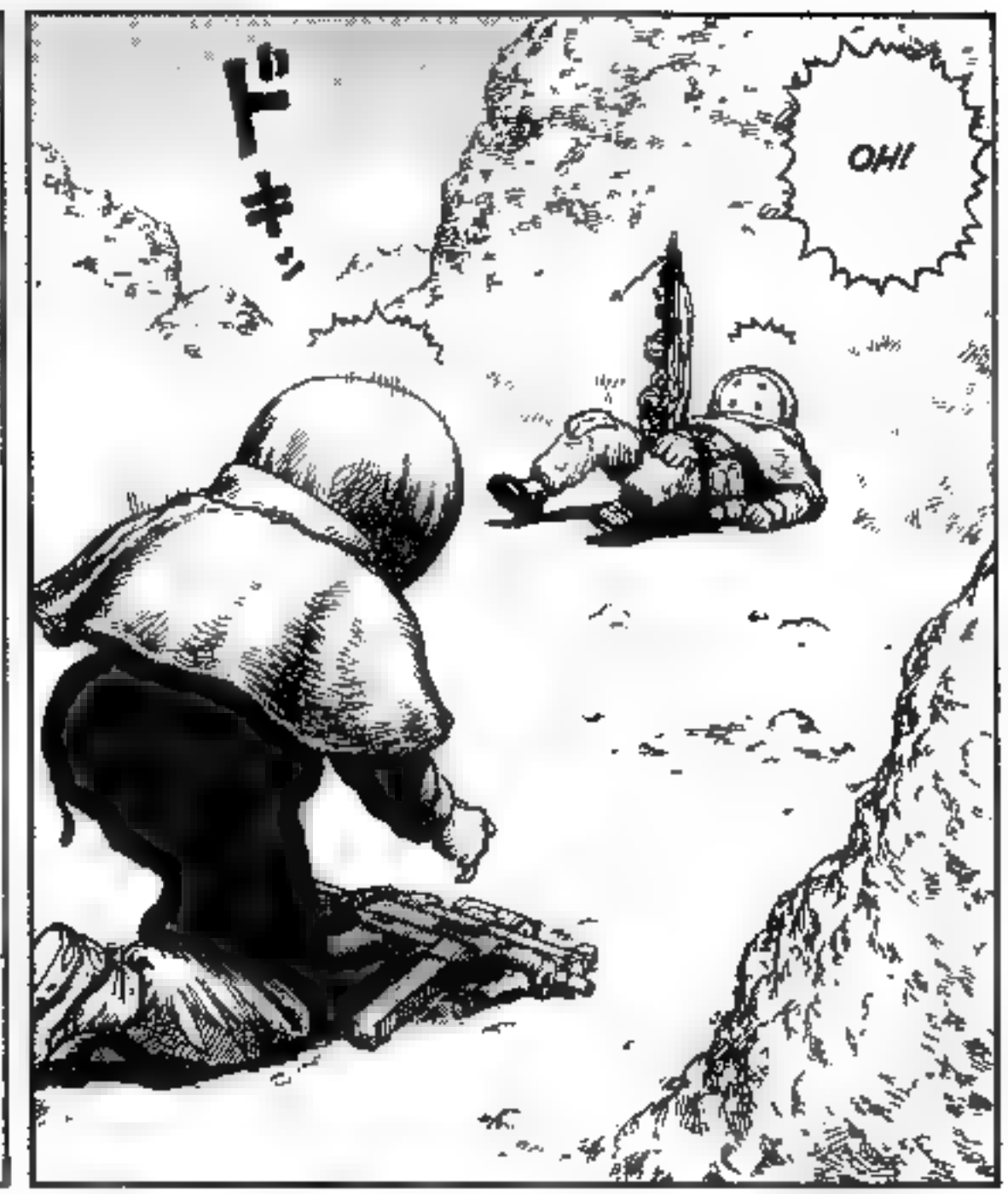
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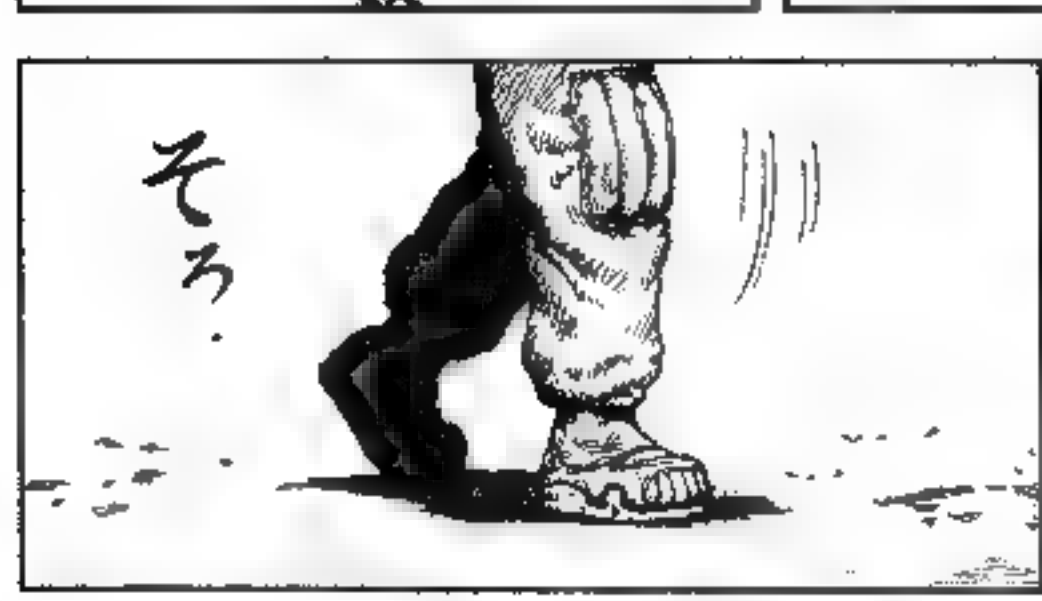
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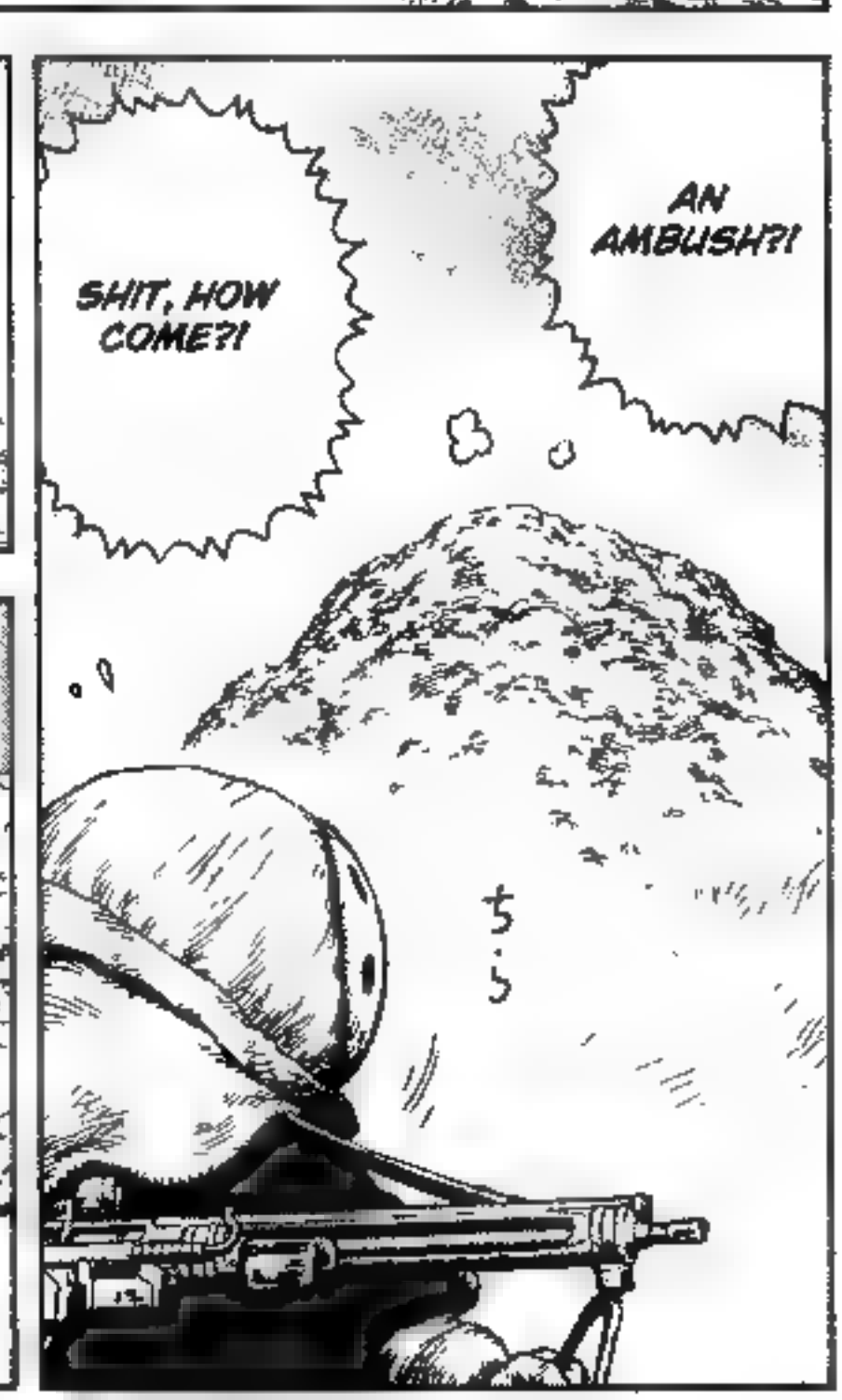
SHIT, HOW COME?!
AN AMBUSH?!
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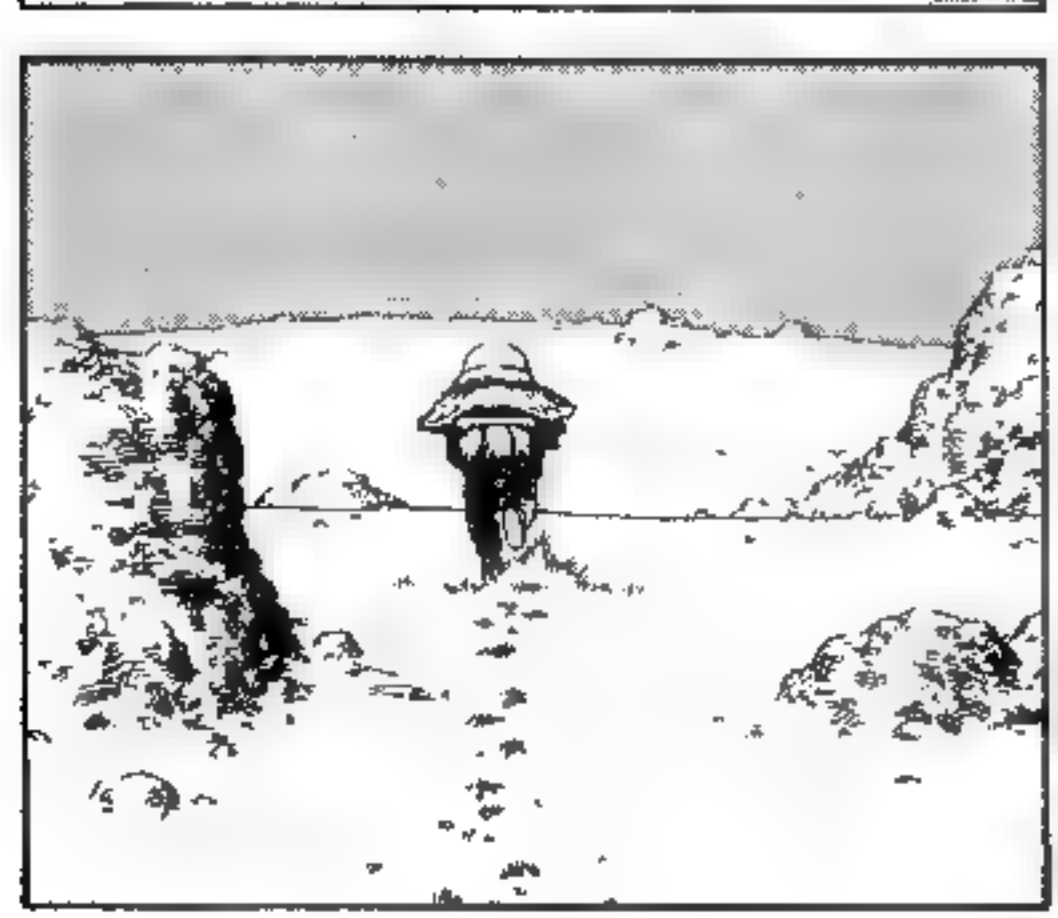

THAT'S FOR THE BEST.
TO BE ABLE TO GET OUT OF THIS, HE'S A PRO.

HUH?
HE DISAP-PEARED ?!

RETREAT IS THE BEST OPTION.
WHEN YOU CAN'T HANDLE A SITUATION

THAT'S RIGHT. YOU'RE THE ISSUE HERE.
It's not an equipment issue.
WHO JUST GOT SPOTTED, UH?

PFU!

HIHIHI! THAT'S LUCK. YOUR AWESOME TRACKING SYS-TEM DOESN'T SEEM THAT EF-FICIENT EITHER.
WAAH...

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I WANT TO TRY THIS ONE.
IT'S BETTER THAT WAY.
Oh, it's lighter than I thought

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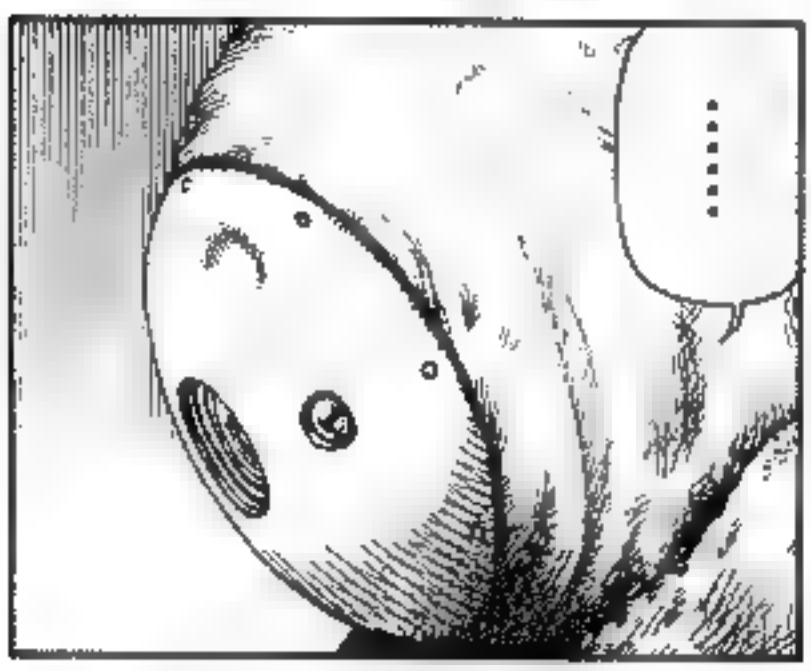
HERE!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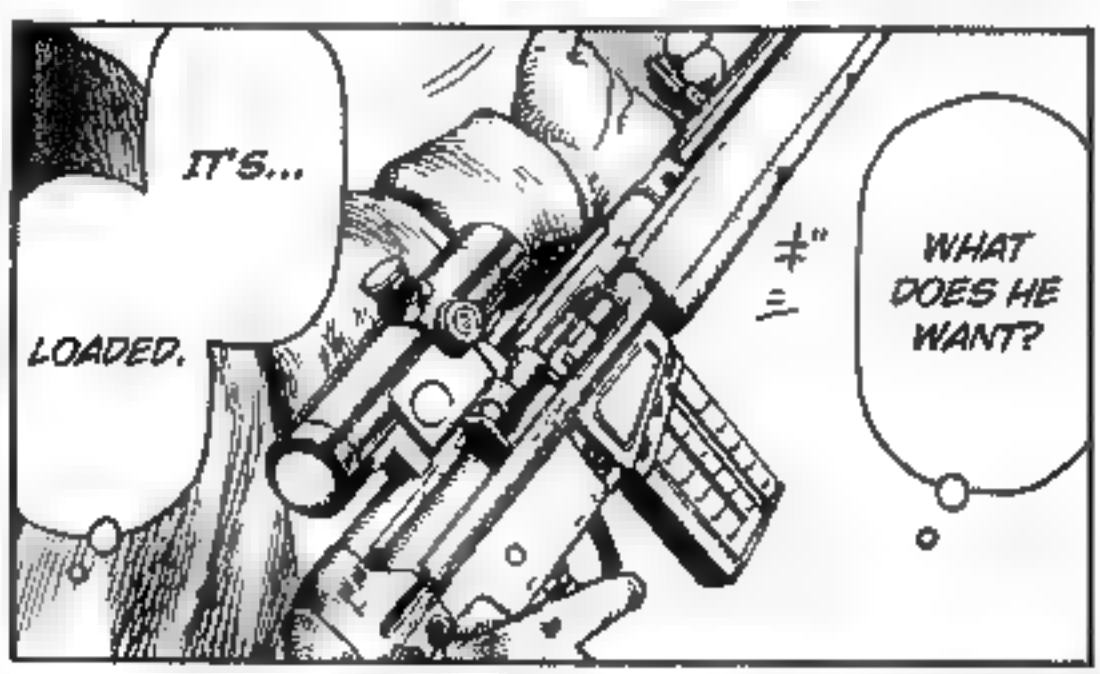
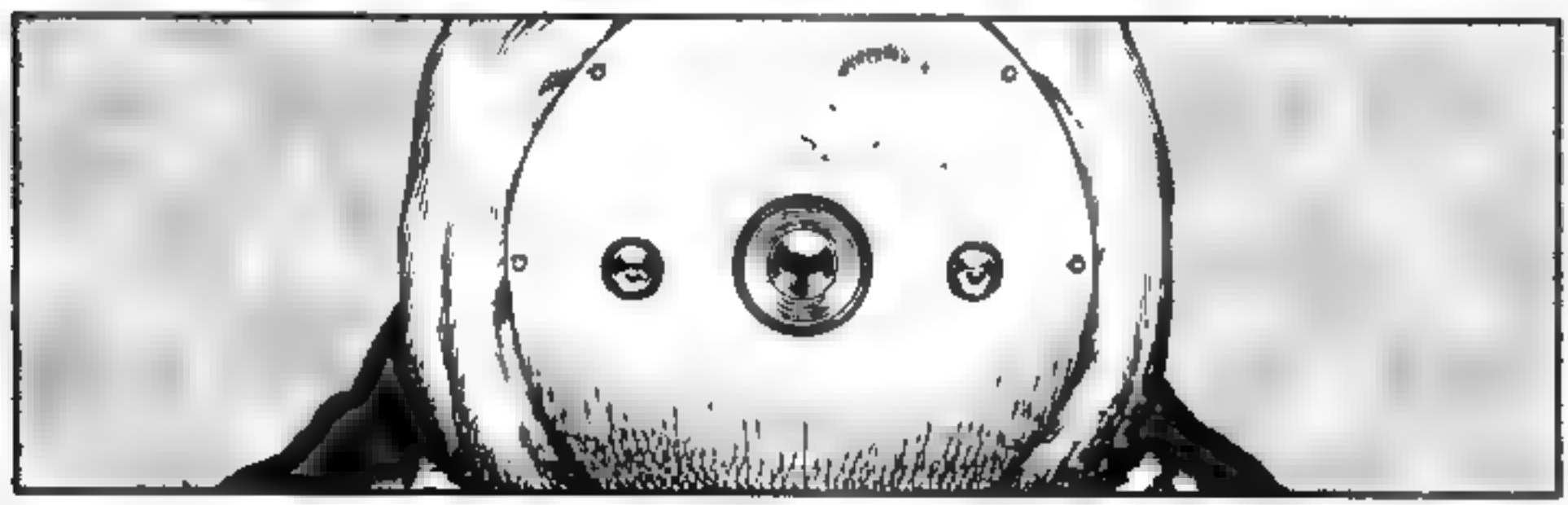
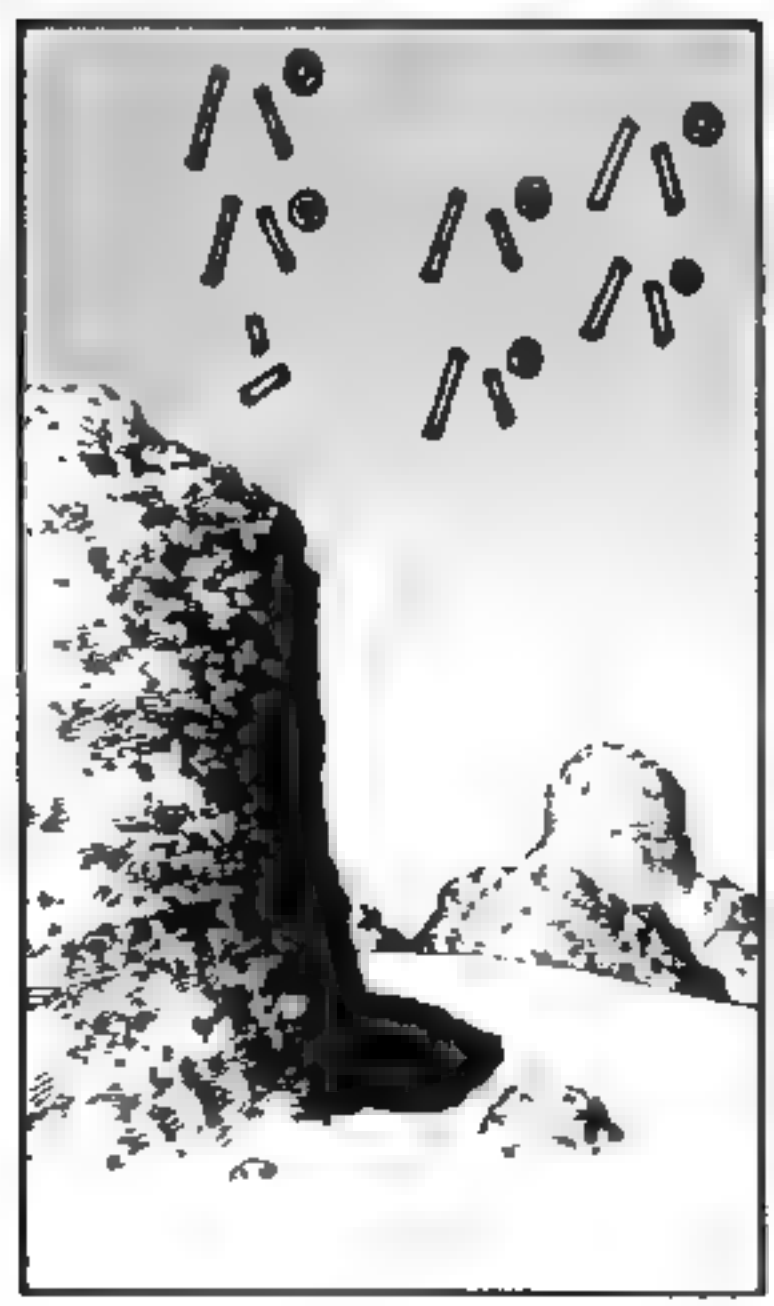

IT'S...
LOADED.
WHAT DOES HE WANT?

MINE IS JUNKO.
THEIR TARGET IS YOU AND JUNKO.
Hooo, .45 ACP?

AFTER WE TAKE CARE OF THEM.
WE CAN SETTLE OUR DIFFERENCES

IN SHORT, THOSE THREE ARE OUR COMMON ENEMY.





THAT LADY TIGER GOT A NICE PIECE OF ARSE.
WOUAHA-HAHAHA!
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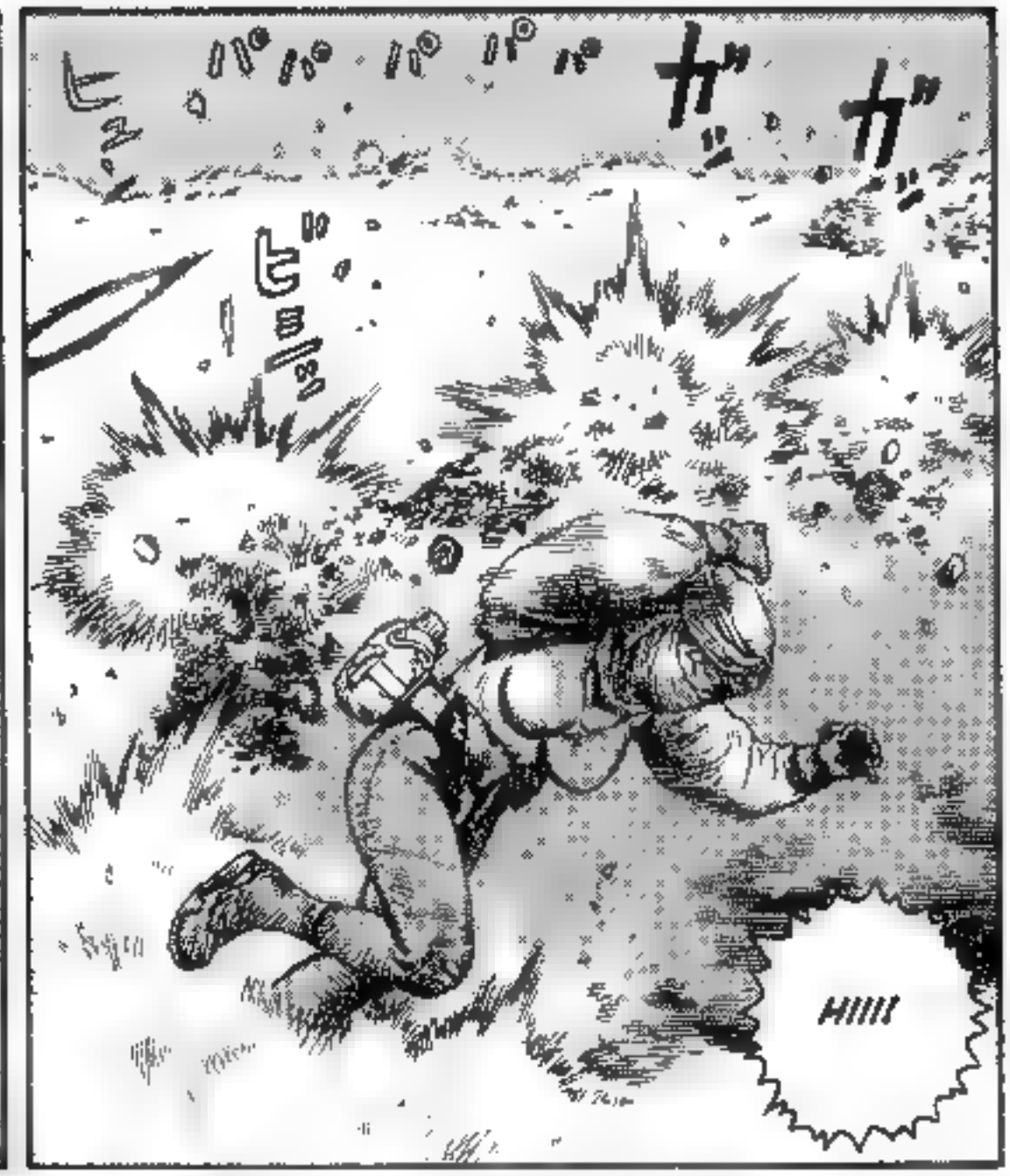
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WHY THE HELL MUST I GO THROUGH ALL THIS ?

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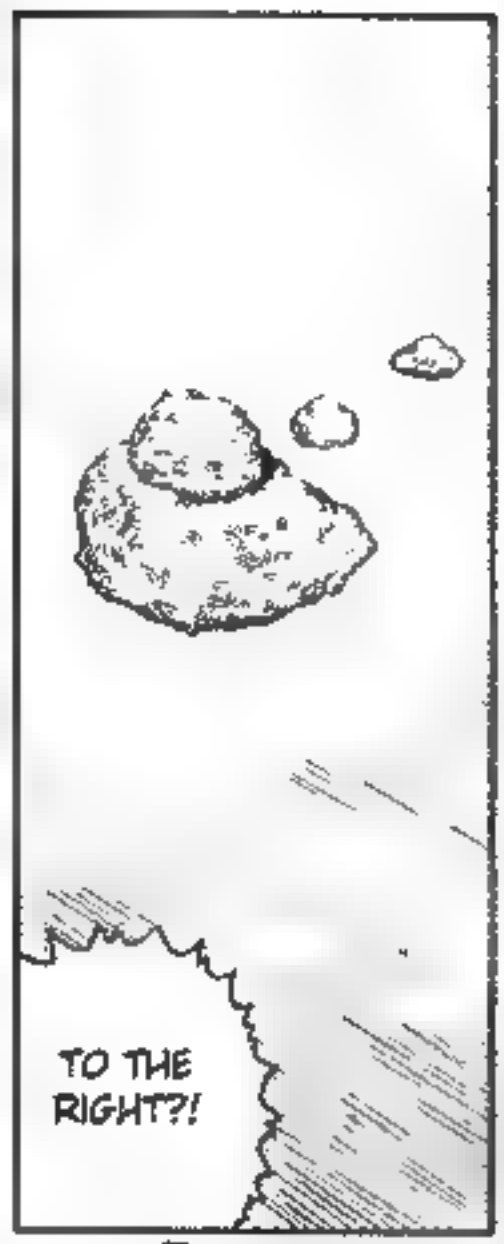
EH?
A MARK LEFT BY SUNABO-ZU.


TO THE RIGHT?!

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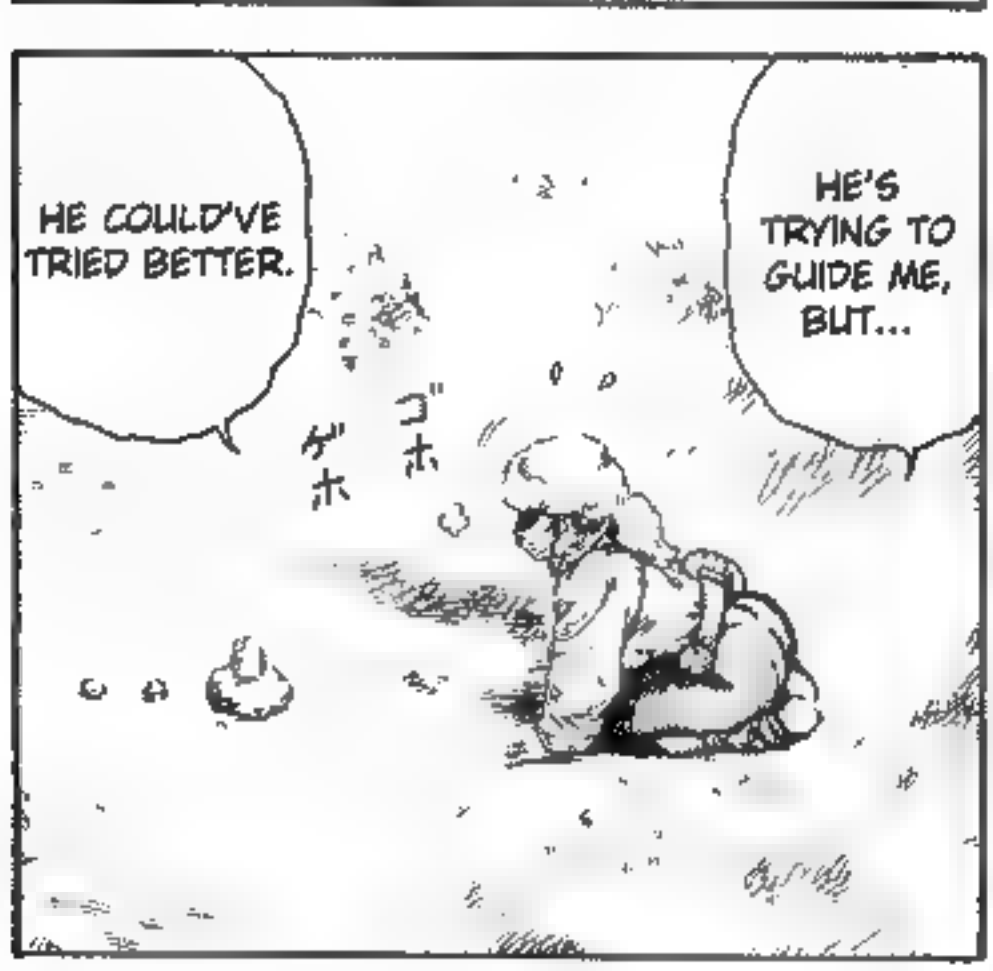
HE COULD'VE TRIED BETTER.
HE'S TRYING TO GUIDE ME, BUT...
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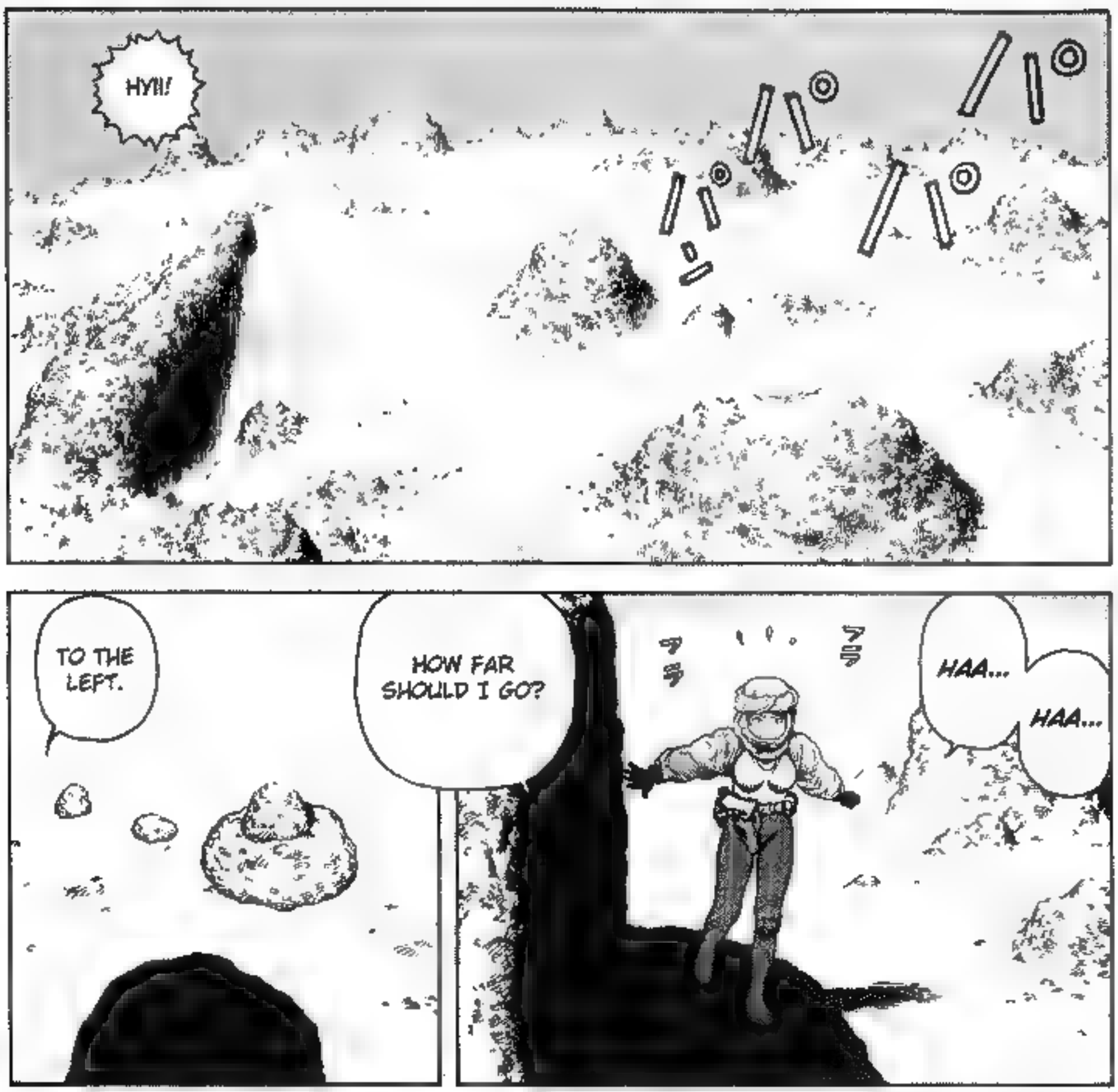
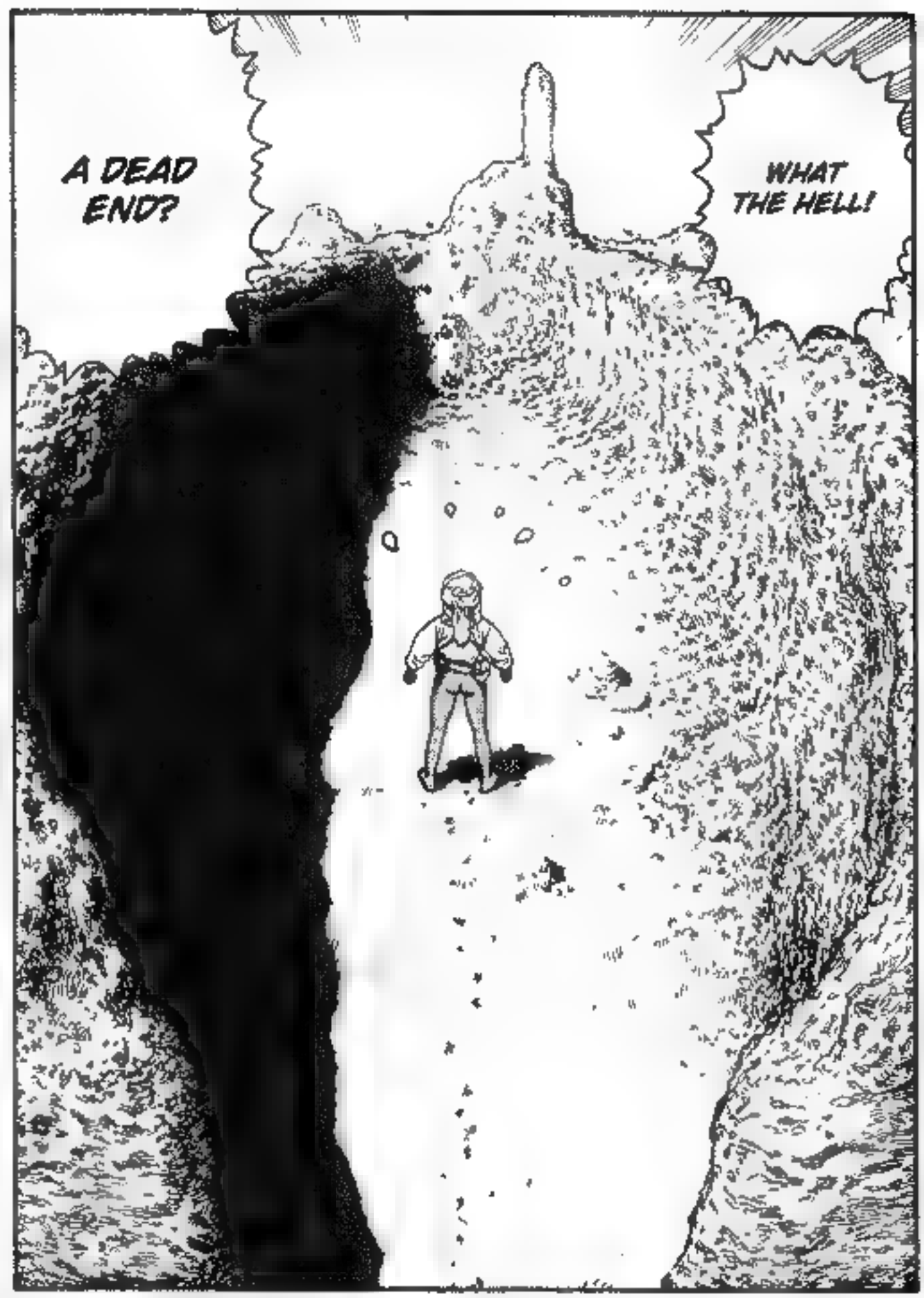

HYII!
TO THE LEFT.
HOW FAR SHOULD I GO?
HAA...
HAA...
BUT...
HUH?
OK...

WHAT SHOULD I DO?
DAMMIT!


A DEAD END?
WHAT THE HELL!

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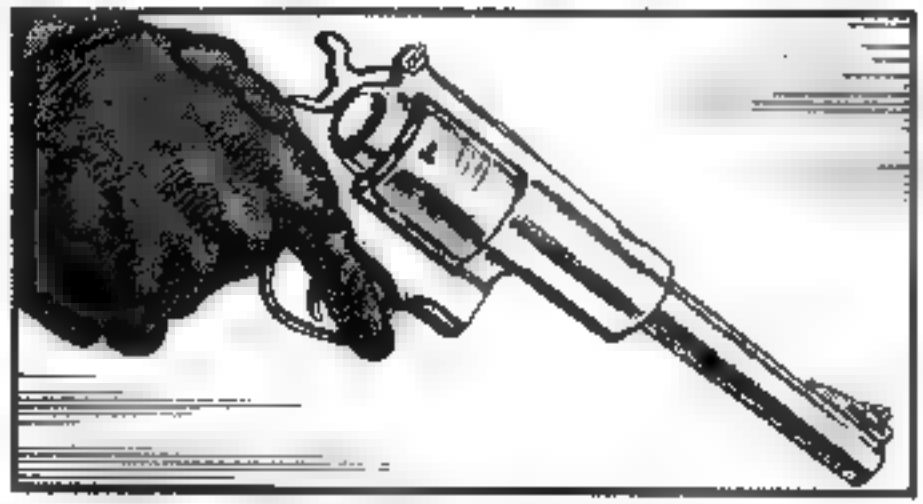
She surrenders

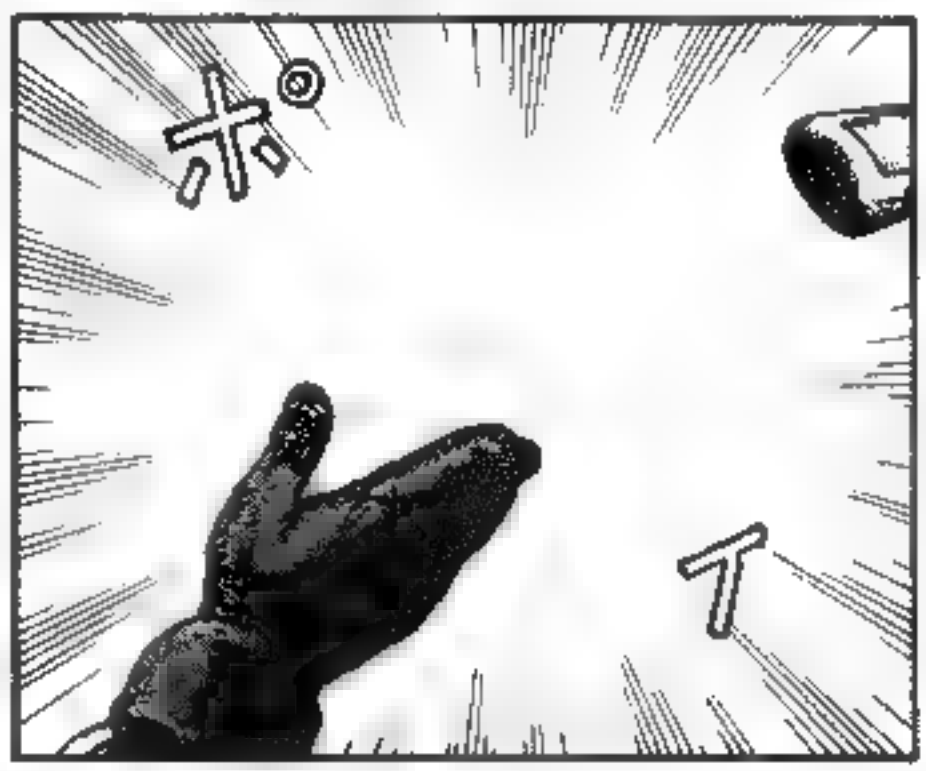
I'LL TELL YOU EVERYTHING YOU WANT.

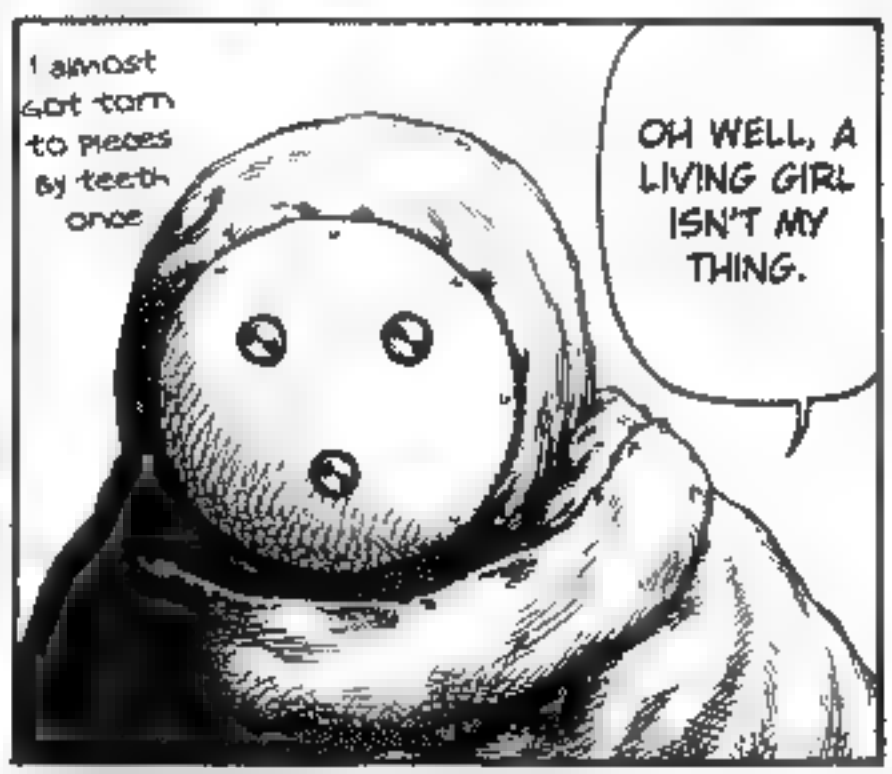
DON'T SHOOT!

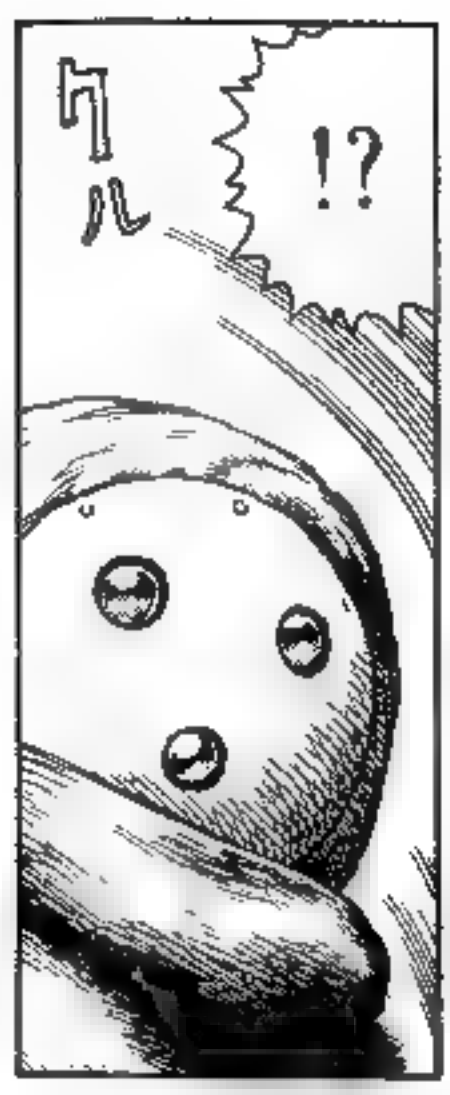
HO HOOO...

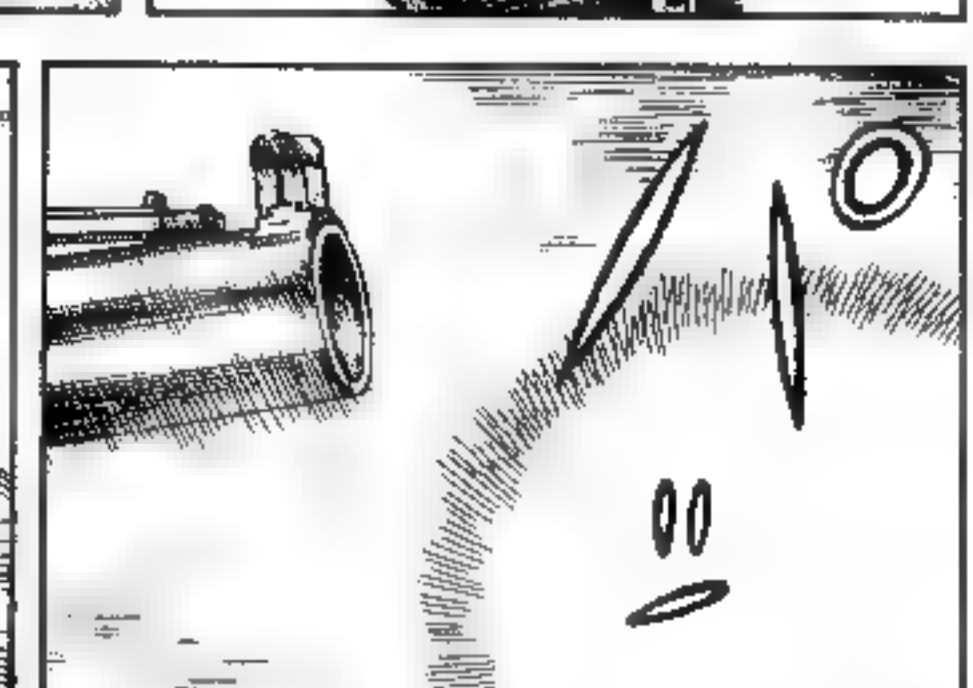
SHE'S A BABE ALRIGHT!

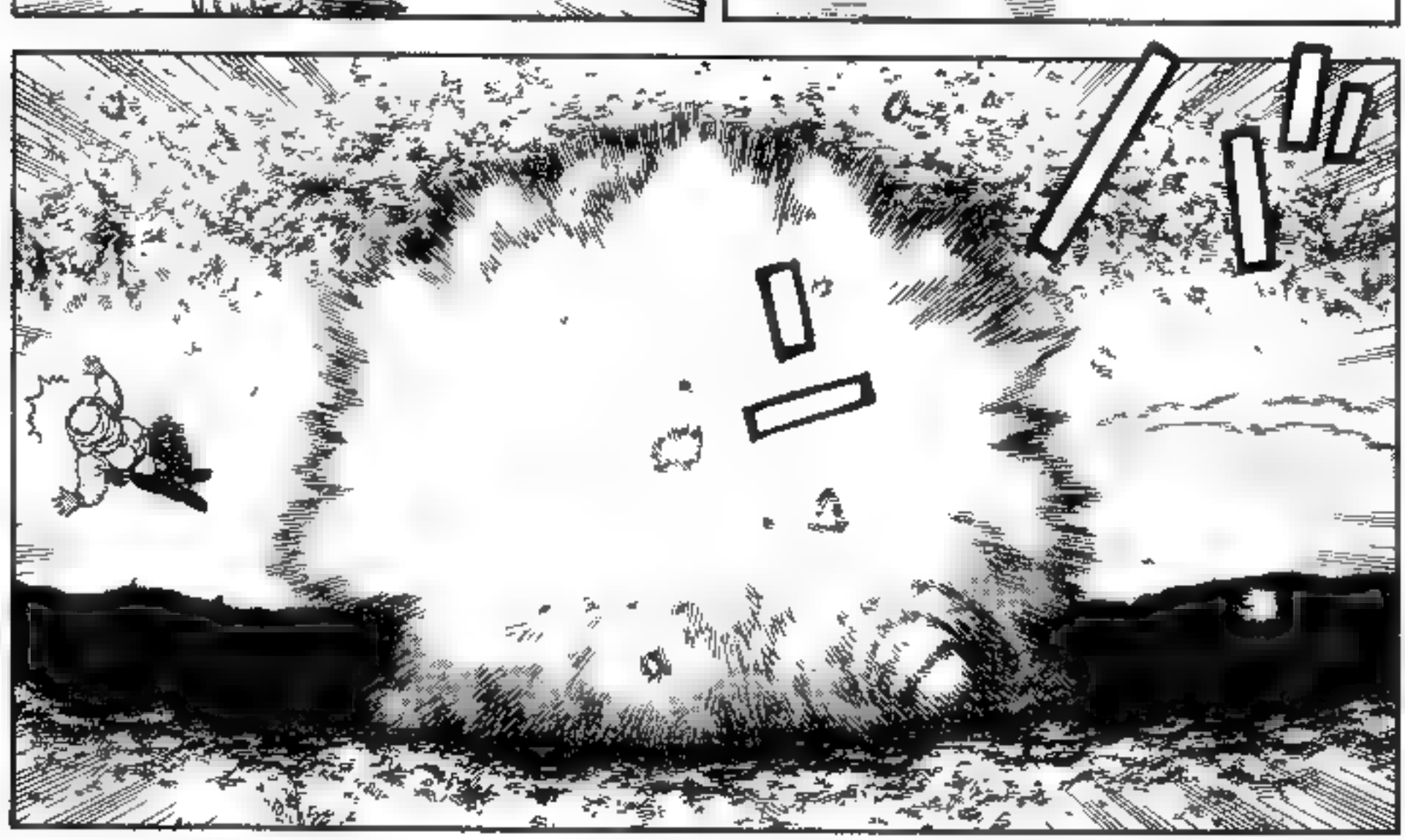












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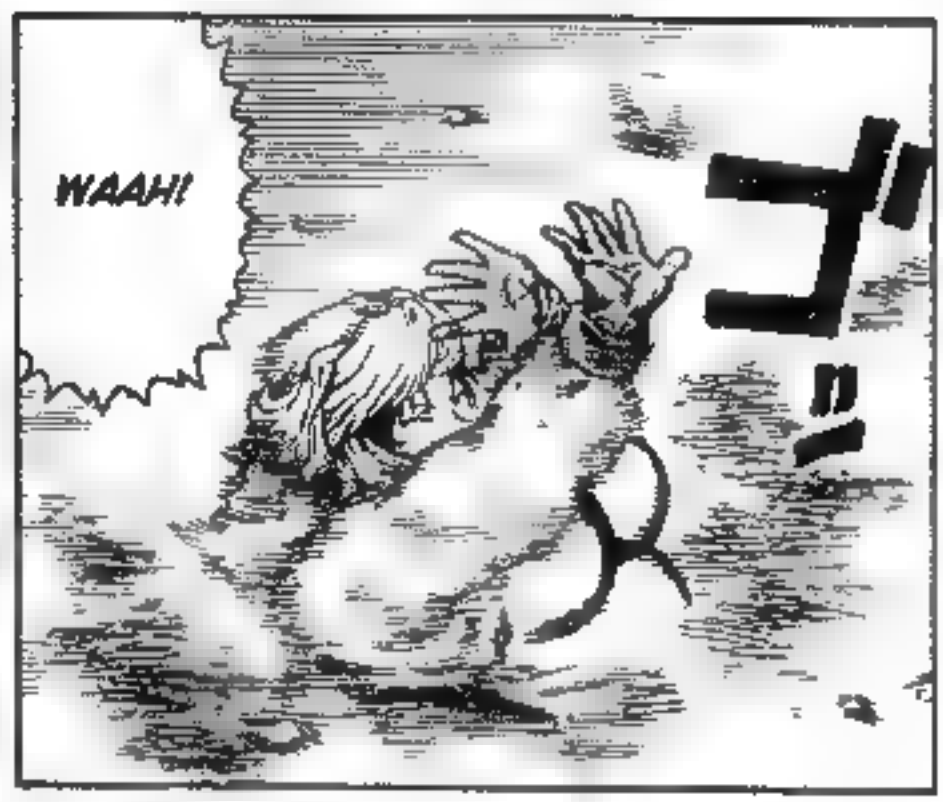
WAH!


WAAH!
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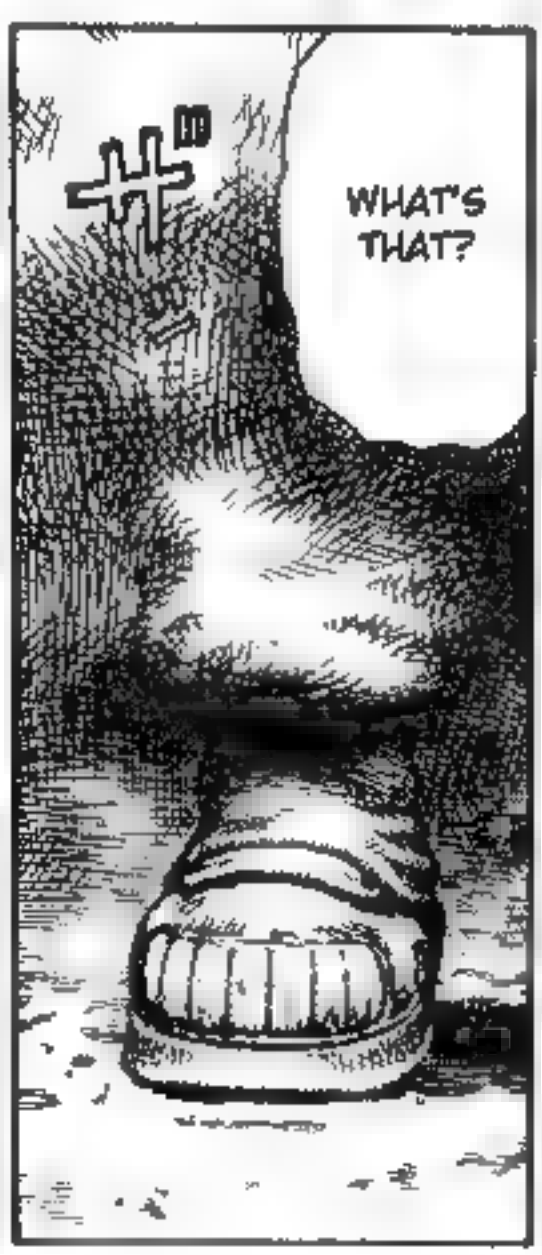
I thought I could hit him with a direct shot
DAMN, HE SLIPPED AWAY.

WHERE THE HELL DO YOU COME FROM?


WHAT'S THAT?

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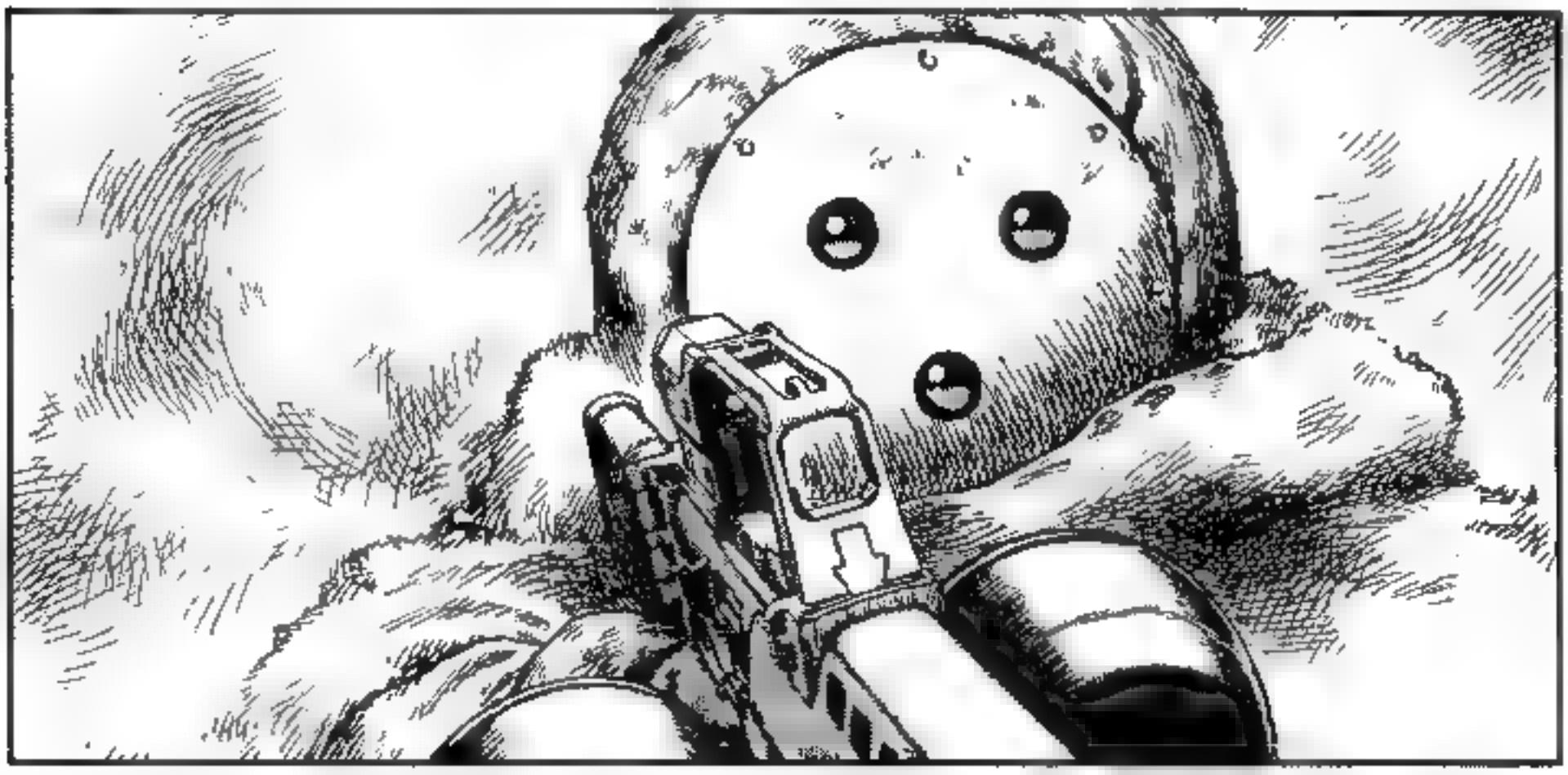
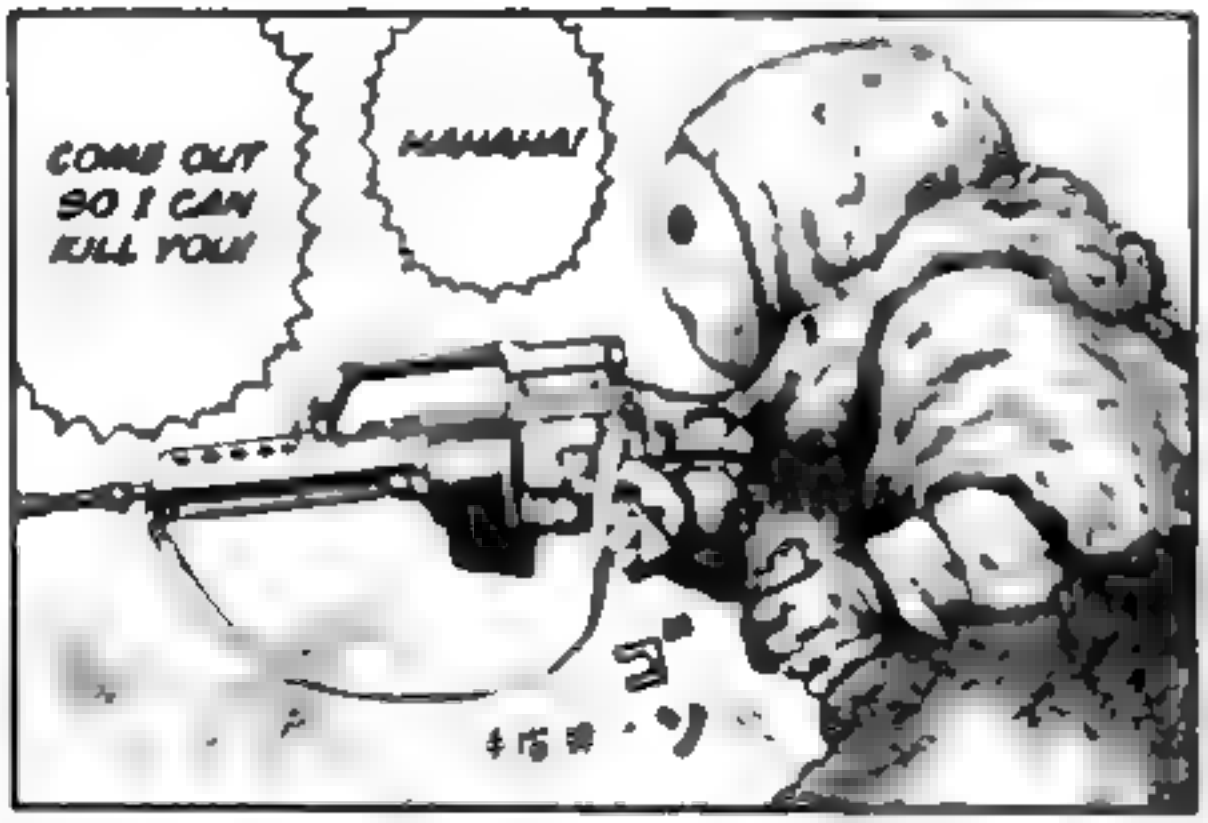
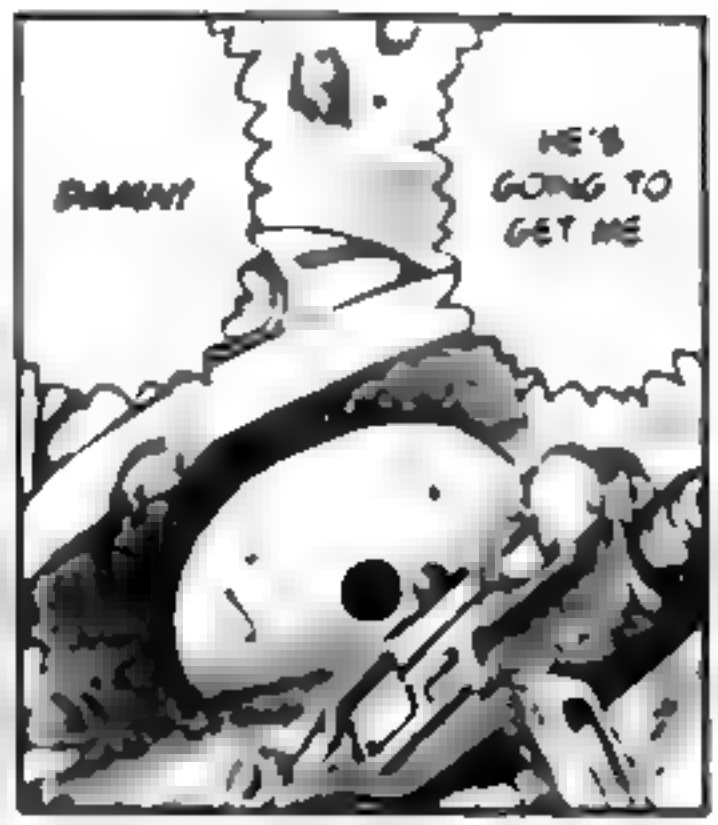
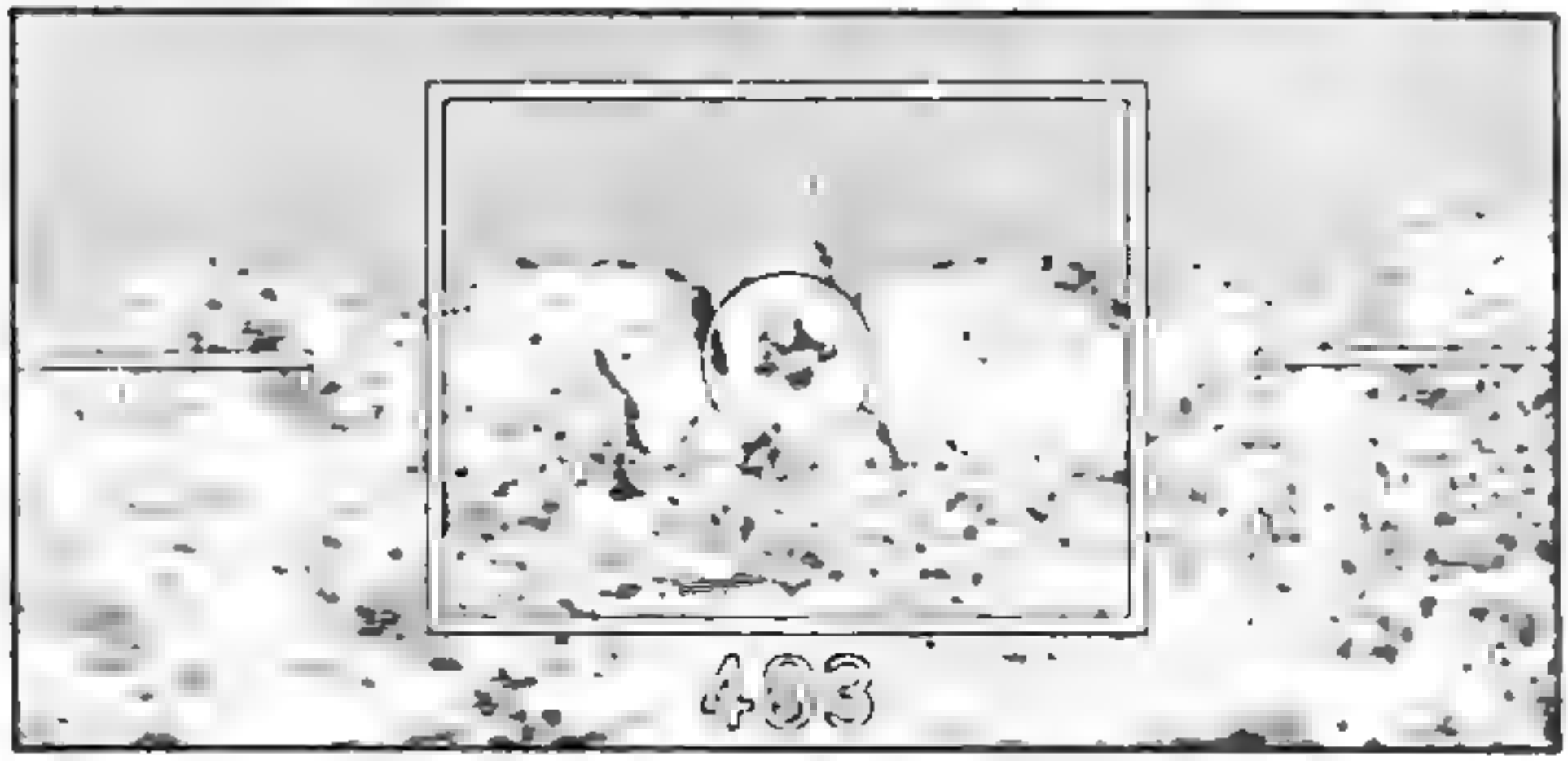
VOL.40 END

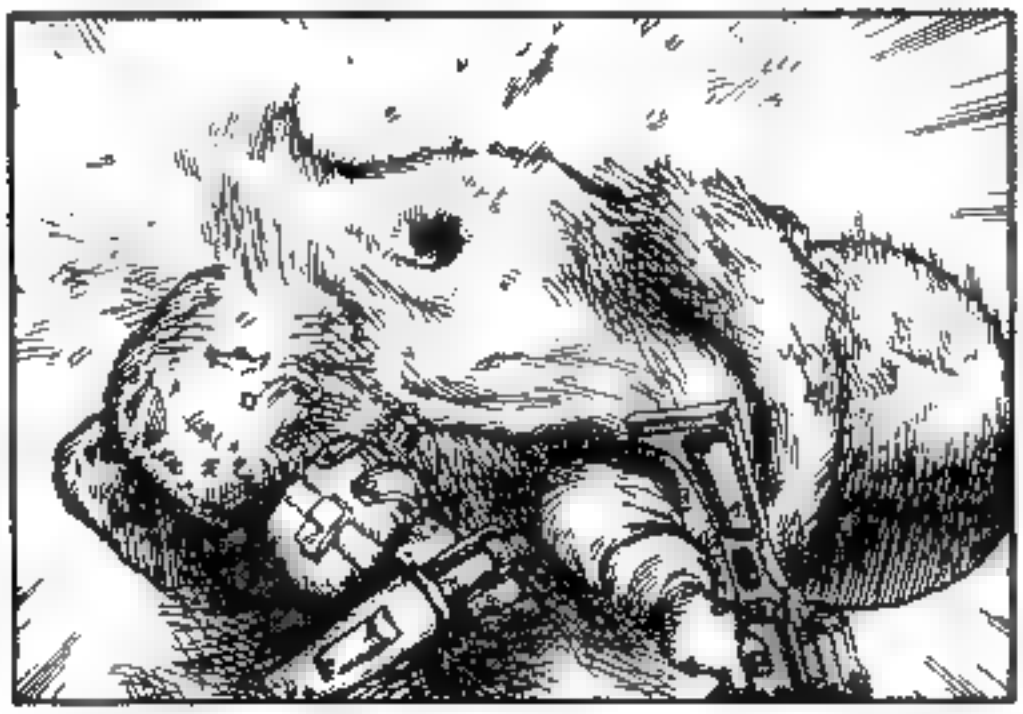


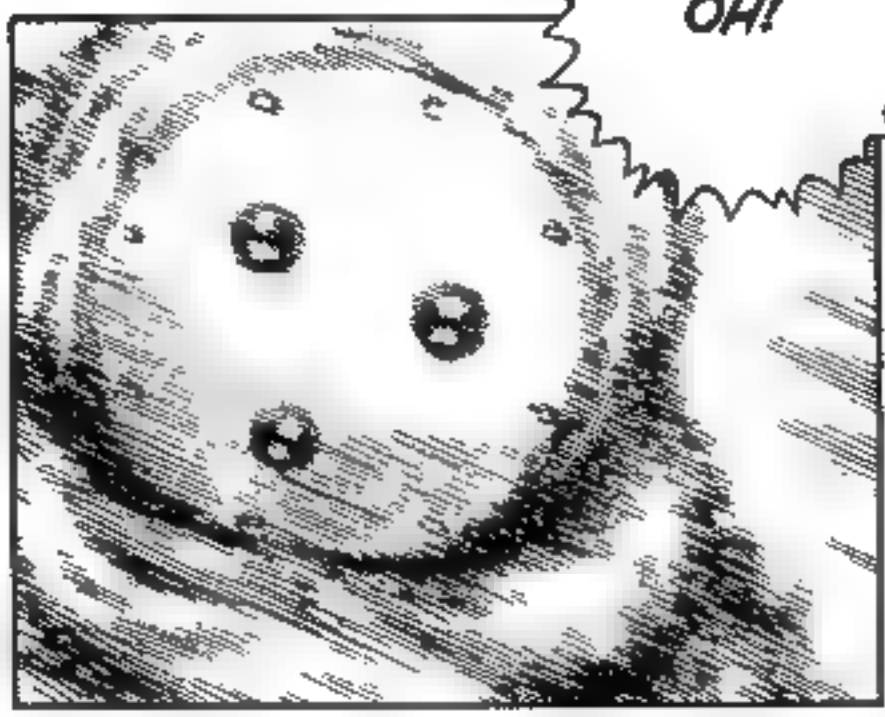
WOOO...
WAAAH!


COME OUT SO I CAN KILL YOU!
HAHAHA!


DAMN!
HE'S GOING TO GET ME



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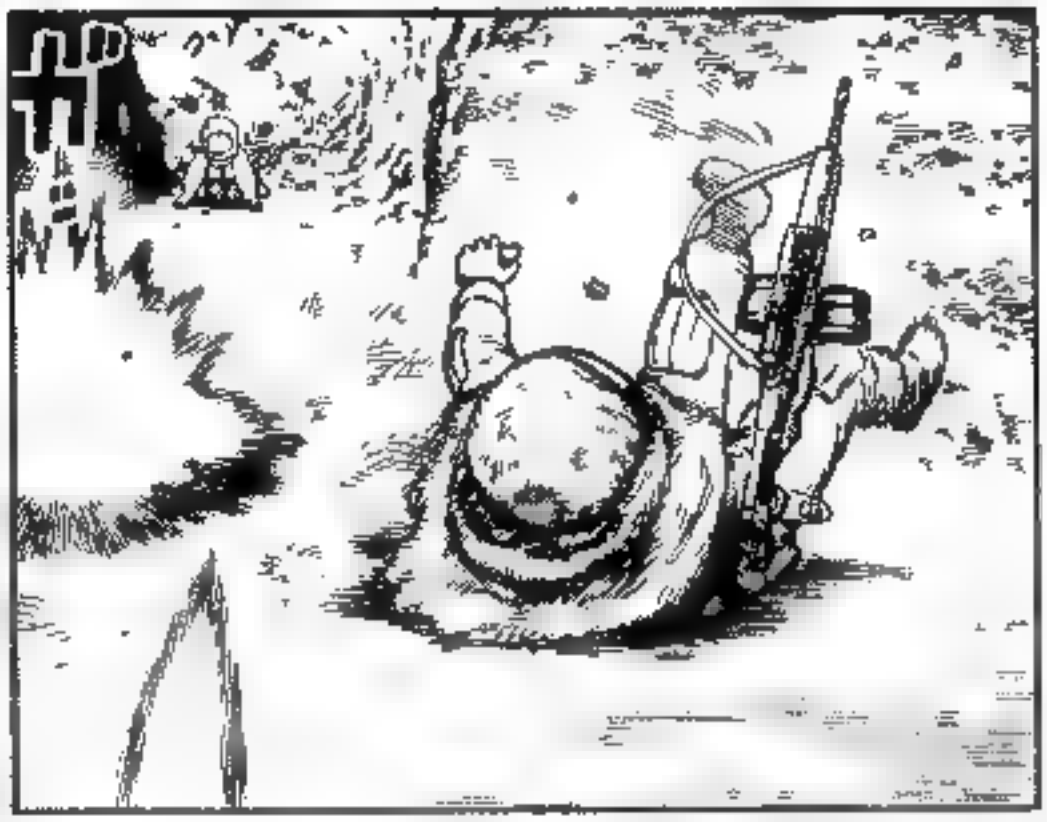

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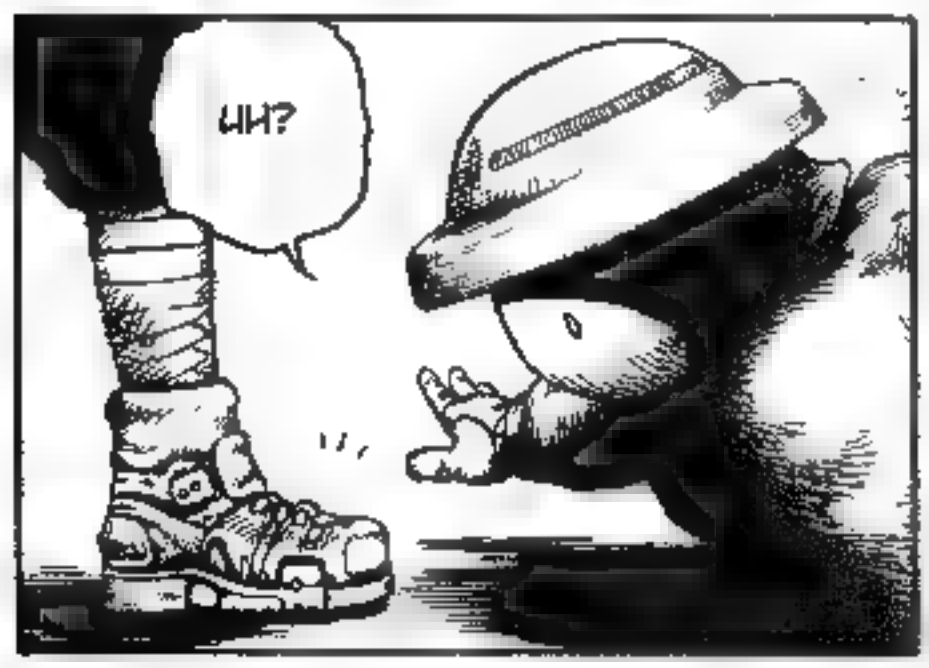
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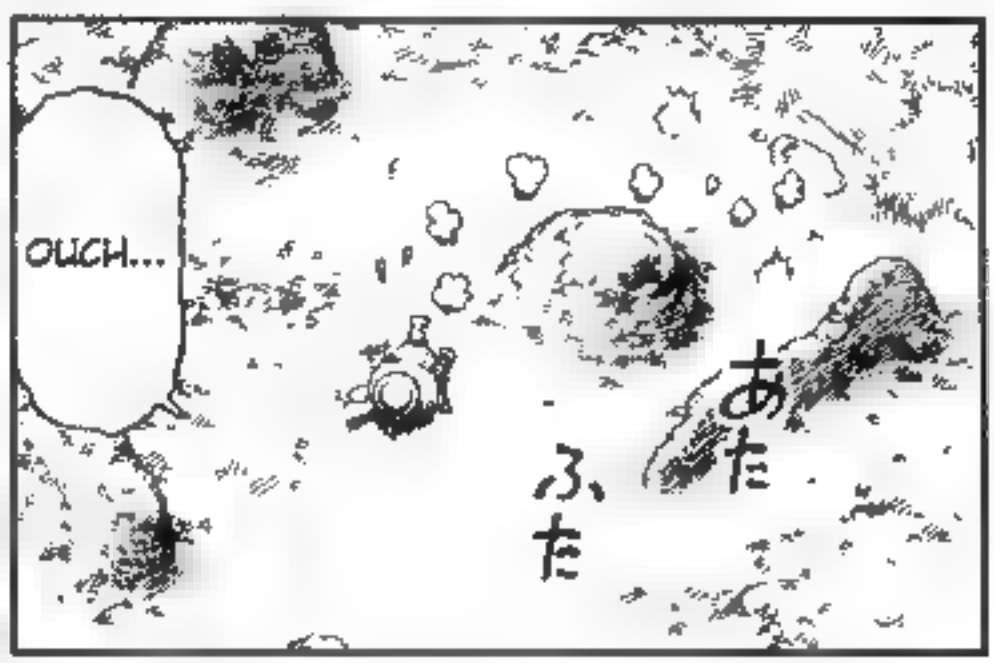
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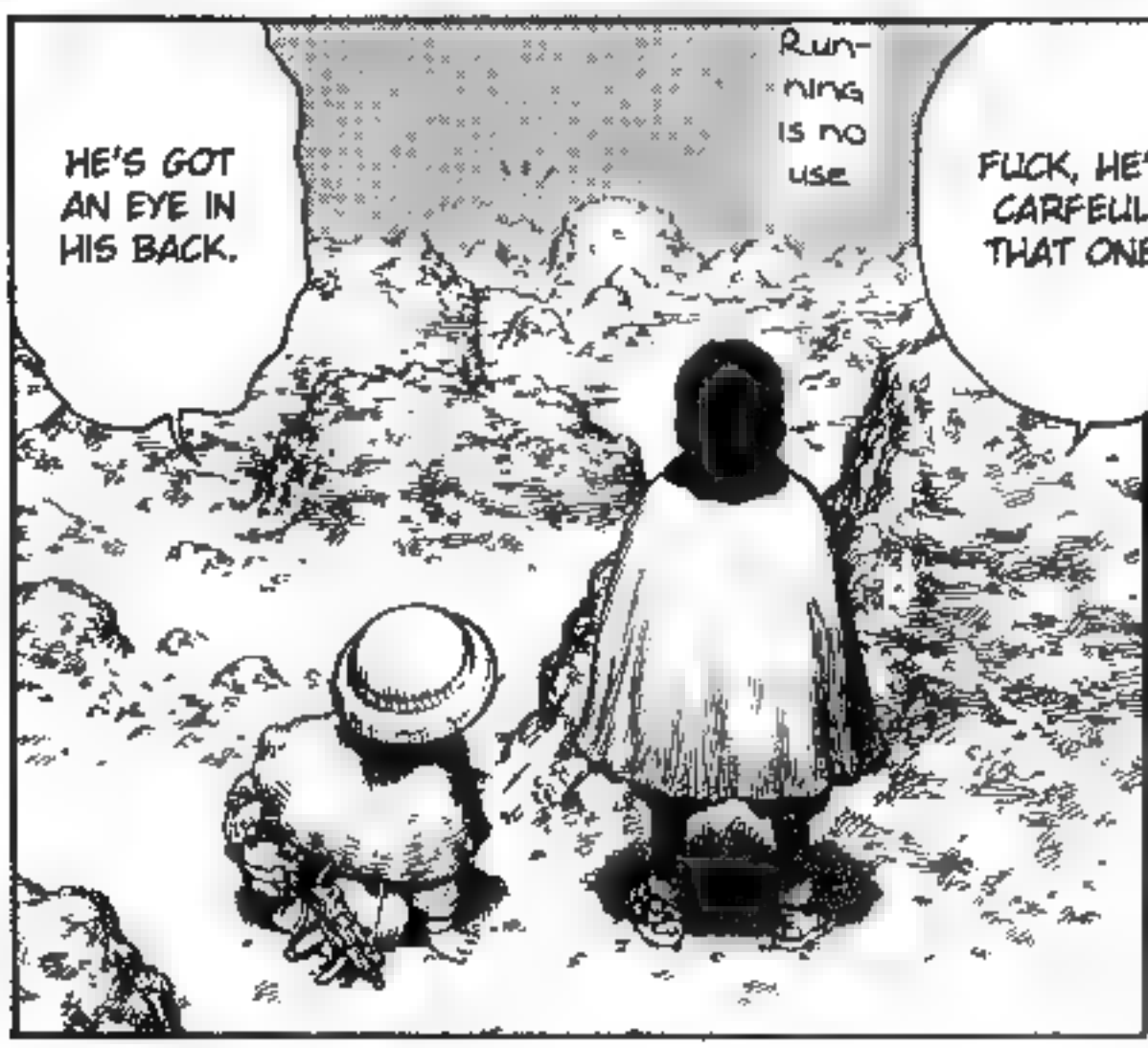
HE'S GOT AN EYE IN HIS BACK.
Run-ning is no use.
FUCK, HE'S CARFEUL, THAT ONE.

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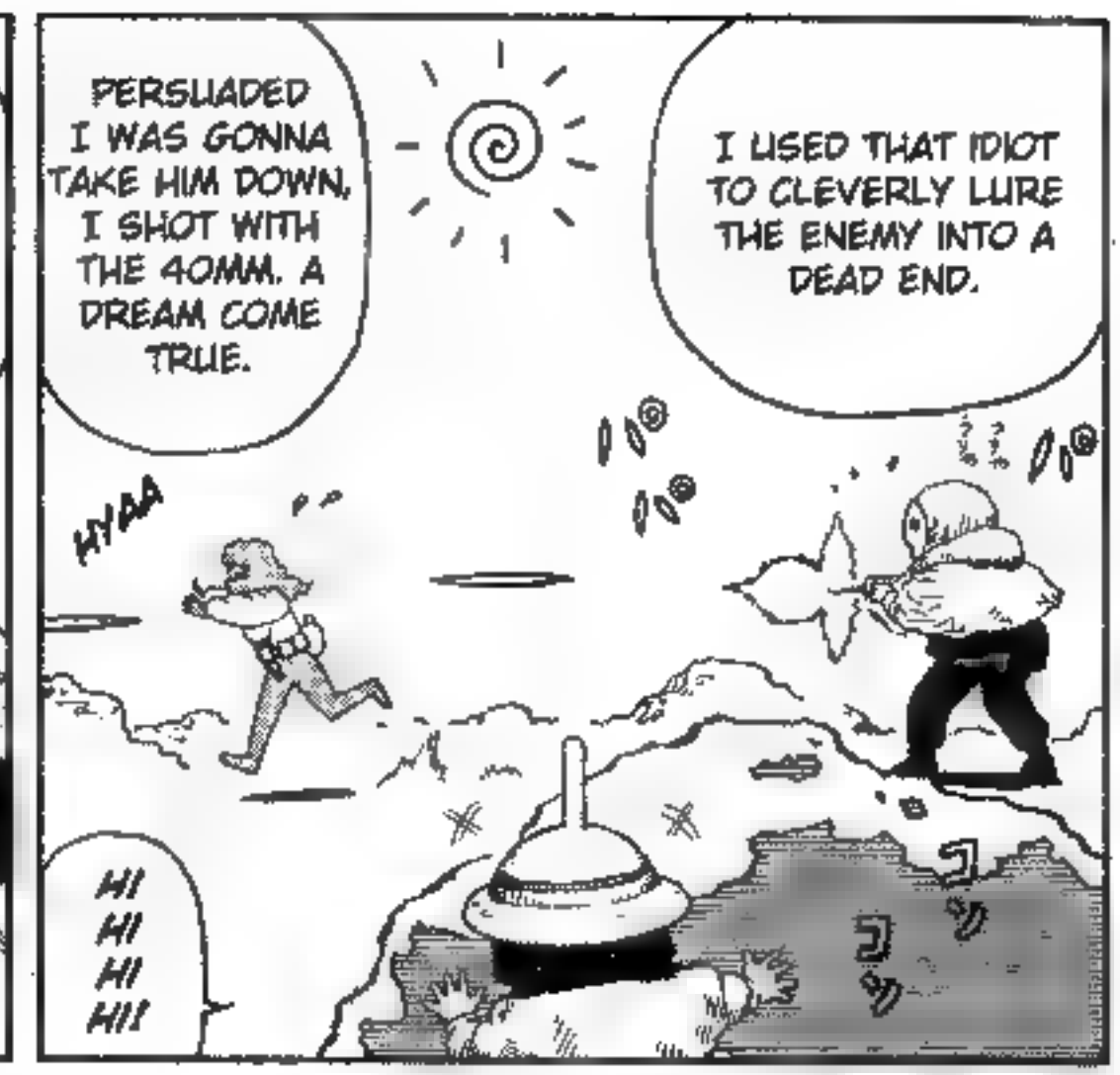
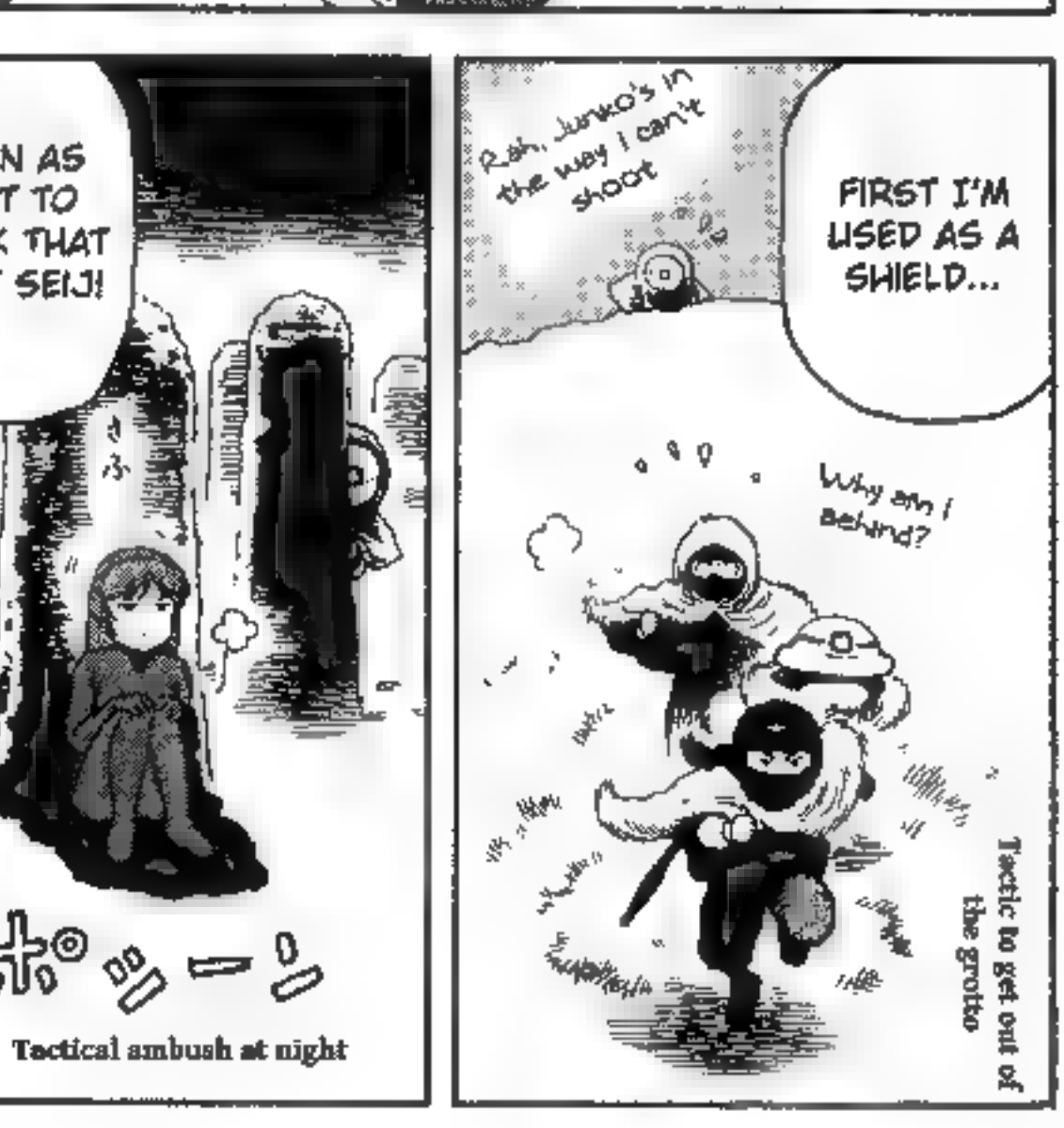
HEY, HE GOT AWAY.
HAA
HAA
MASTER...

A DREAM?
Some 40mm?
BUT THE GUY TURNED AROUND.
Wow.


PERSUADED I WAS GONNA TAKE HIM DOWN, I SHOT WITH THE 40MM. A DREAM COME TRUE.
I USED THAT IDIOT TO CLEVERLY LURE THE ENEMY INTO A DEAD END.
HYAA
HI HI HI HI!

She's really scruffy
Damn, she's still alive
HAA
HAA
STOP USING ME, BOTH OF YOU.

I JUST GOT THROUGH A BULLETSTORM THERE!
SO WHAT? YOU KNOW HE WON'T SHOOT YOU!


THEN AS BAIT TO TRICK THAT IDIOT SEIJI!
Tactical ambush at night
Rah, Junko's in the way I can't shoot
FIRST I'M USED AS A SHIELD...
Why am I behind?
Tactic to get out of the grotto

DIE, YOU STUPID CUNT!
I COULD HAVE DIED NUMEROUS TIMES.
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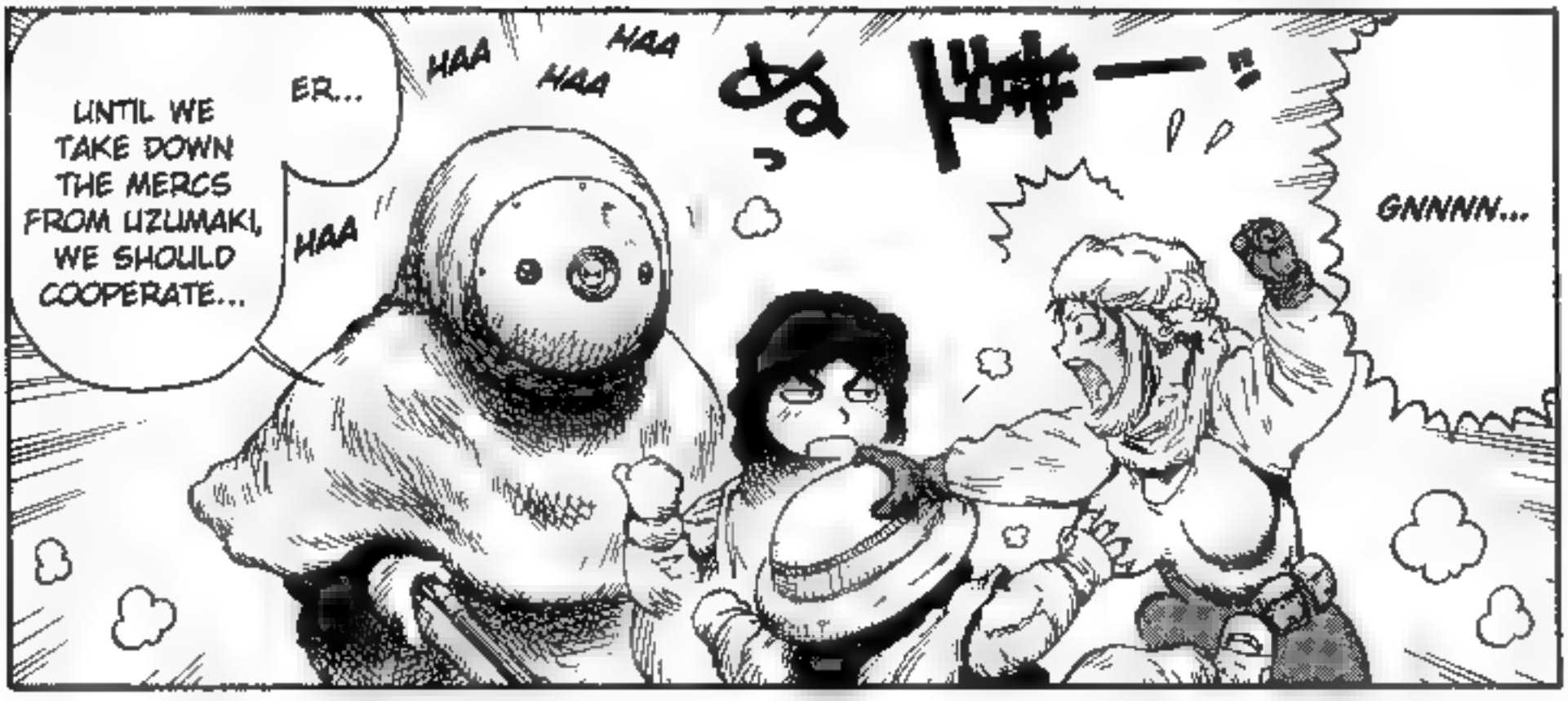
CAN'T YOU DO OTHERWISE?
OF COURSE, YOU'RE BEHIND THIS. I RECOGNIZE YOUR BRUTAL AND INHUMANE WAY.


UNTIL WE TAKE DOWN THE MERCS FROM UZUMAKI, WE SHOULD COOPERATE...
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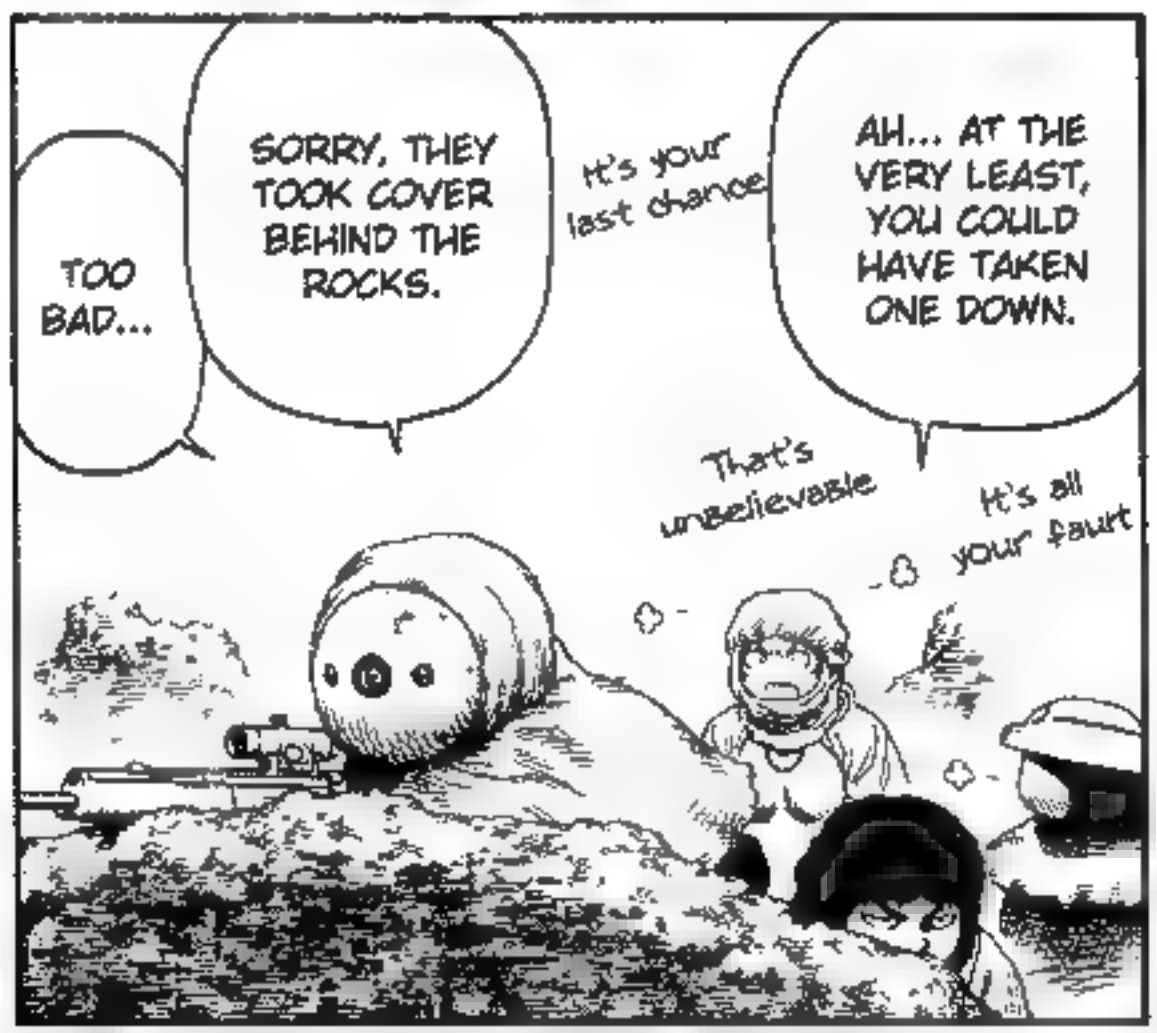
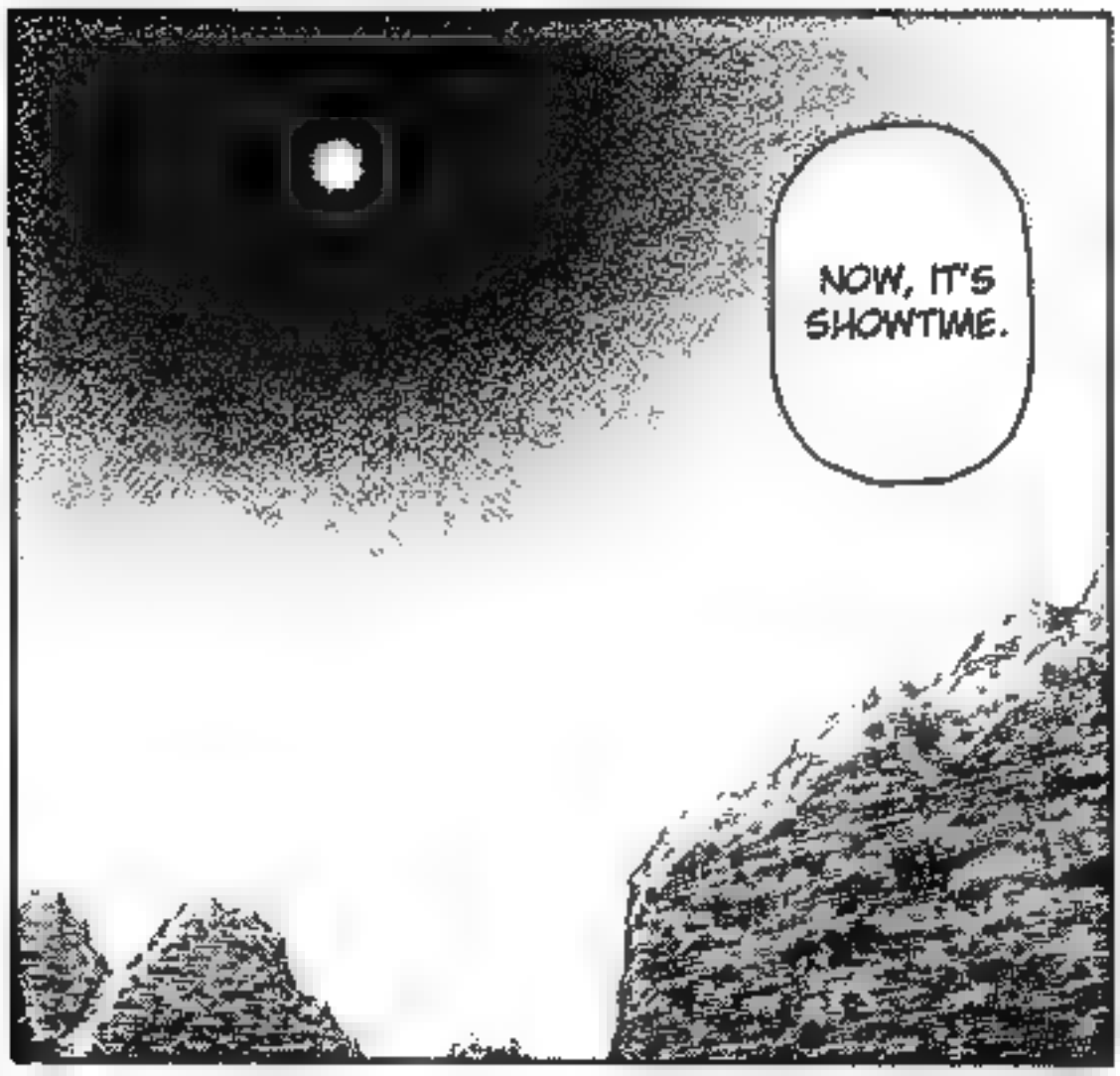
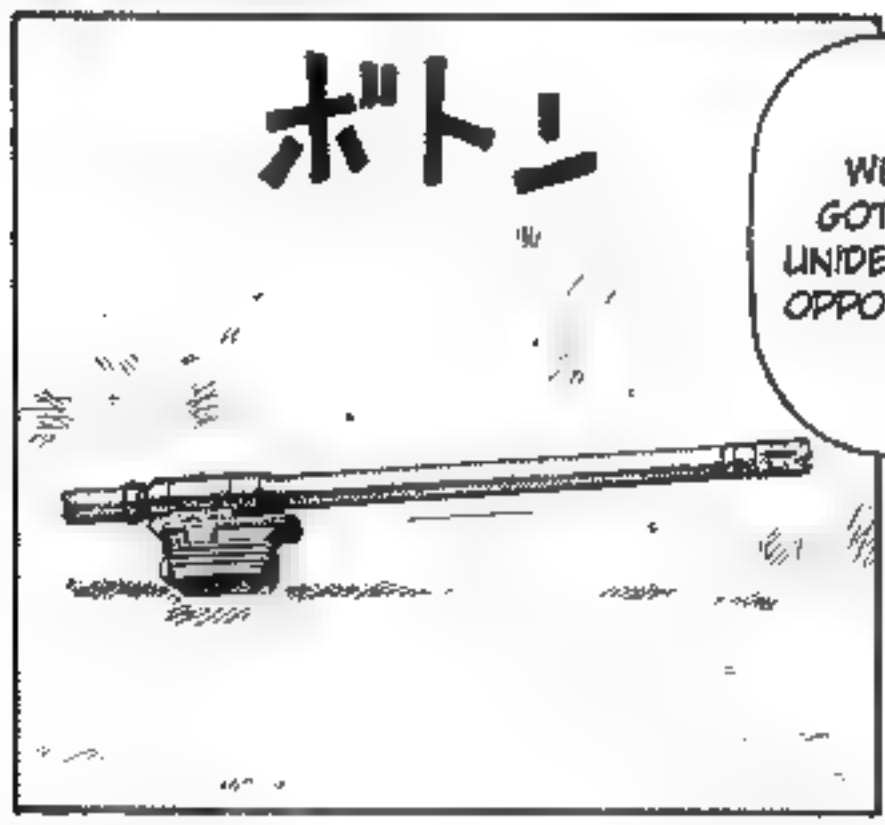
HAA
HAA
GNNNN...


TOO BAD...
SORRY, THEY TOOK COVER BEHIND THE ROCKS.
It's your last chance
AH... AT THE VERY LEAST, YOU COULD HAVE TAKEN ONE DOWN.
That's unbelievable
It's all your fault

THERE'S NO TIME TO FOOL AROUND..
RAH... RAH...
It's all because of him


NOW, IT'S SHOWTIME.

ALRIGHT...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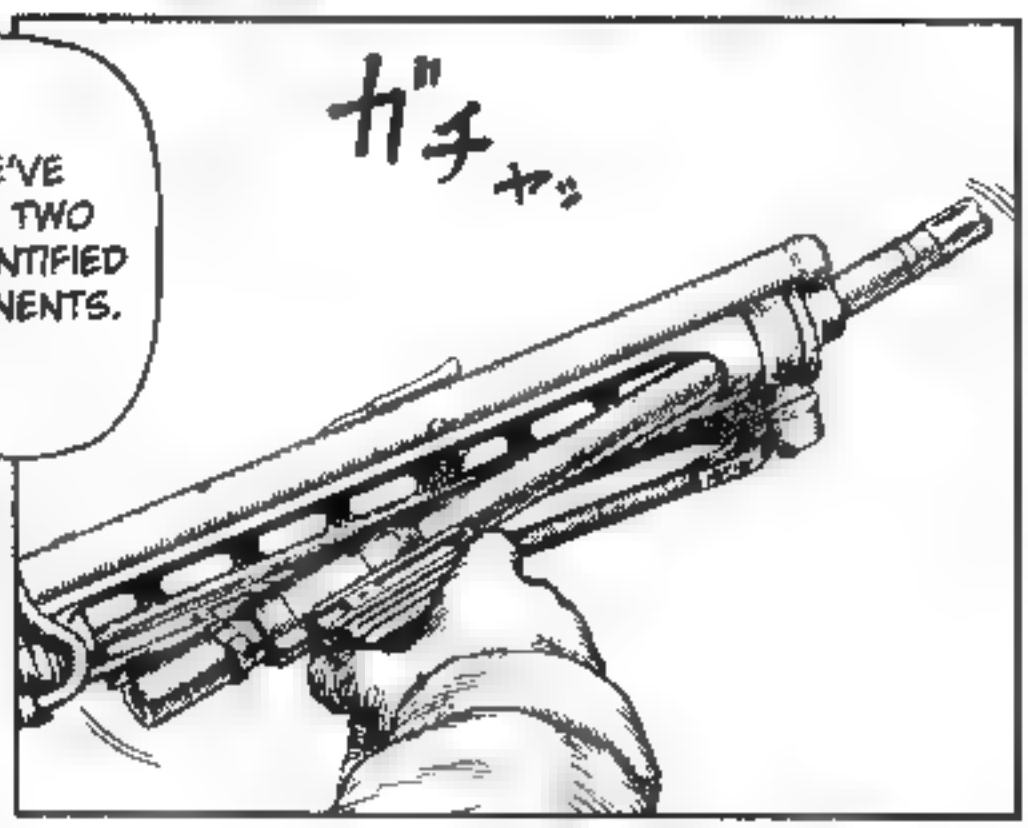
WE'VE GOT TWO UNIDENTIFIED OPPONENTS.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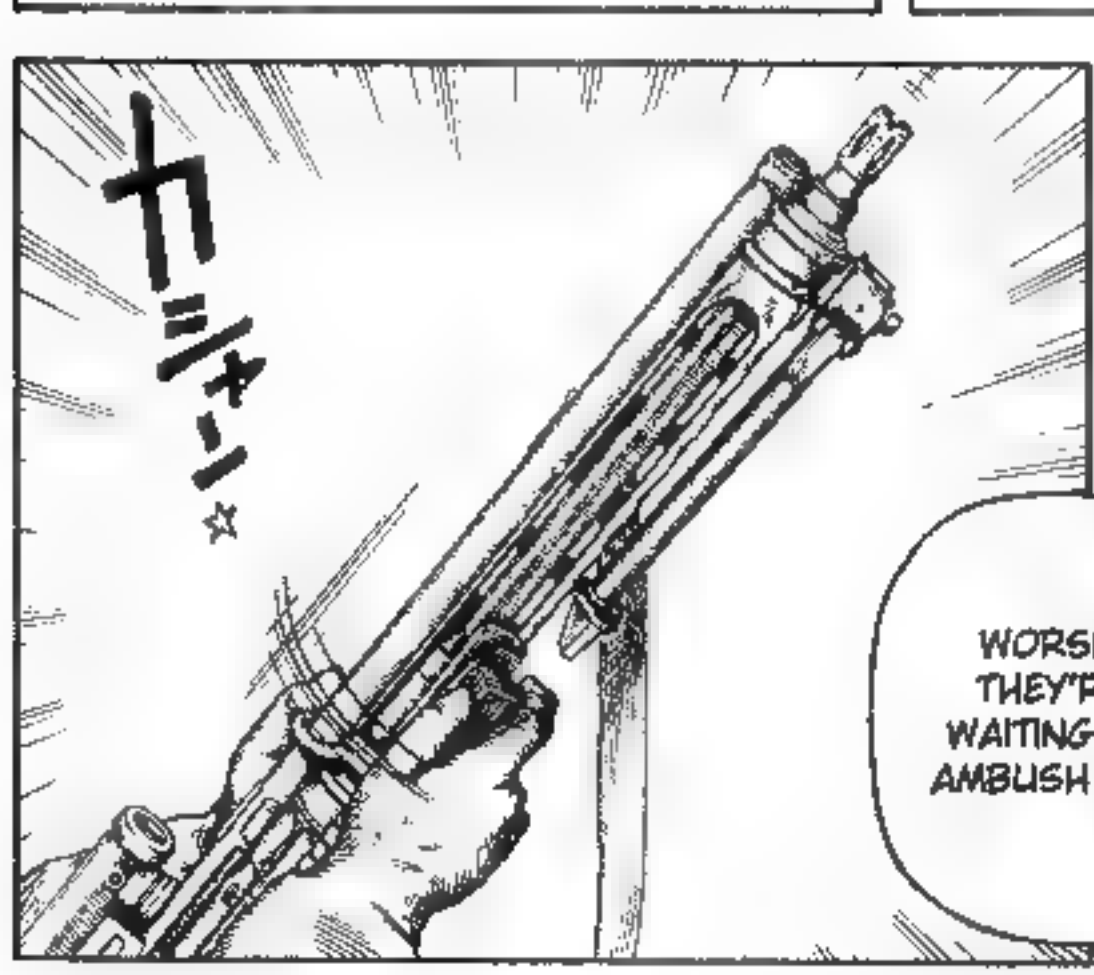
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WORSE, THEY'RE WAITING TO AMBUSH US.

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THEY SHELTERED THEMSELVES IN A PLACE EASY TO DEFEND BECAUSE THEY KNOW THEY CAN'T ESCAPE.

IT'S USELESS TO WAIT.

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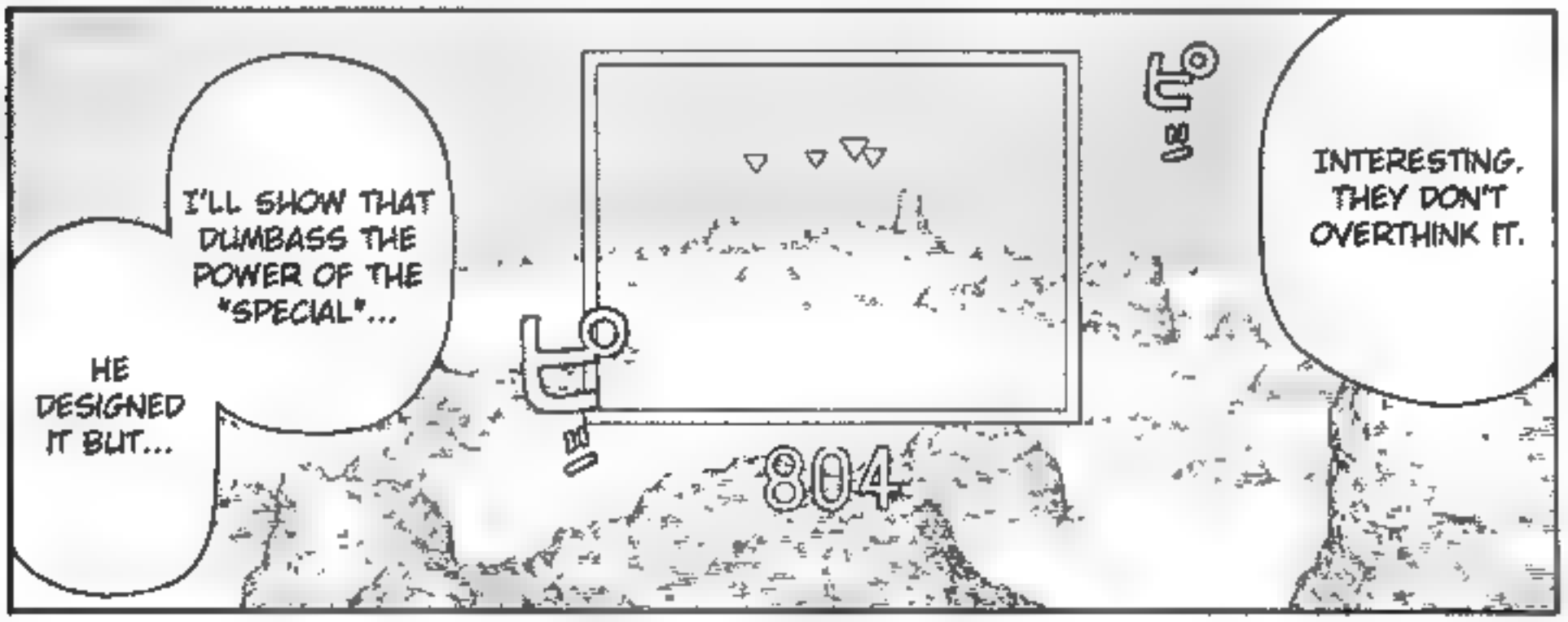

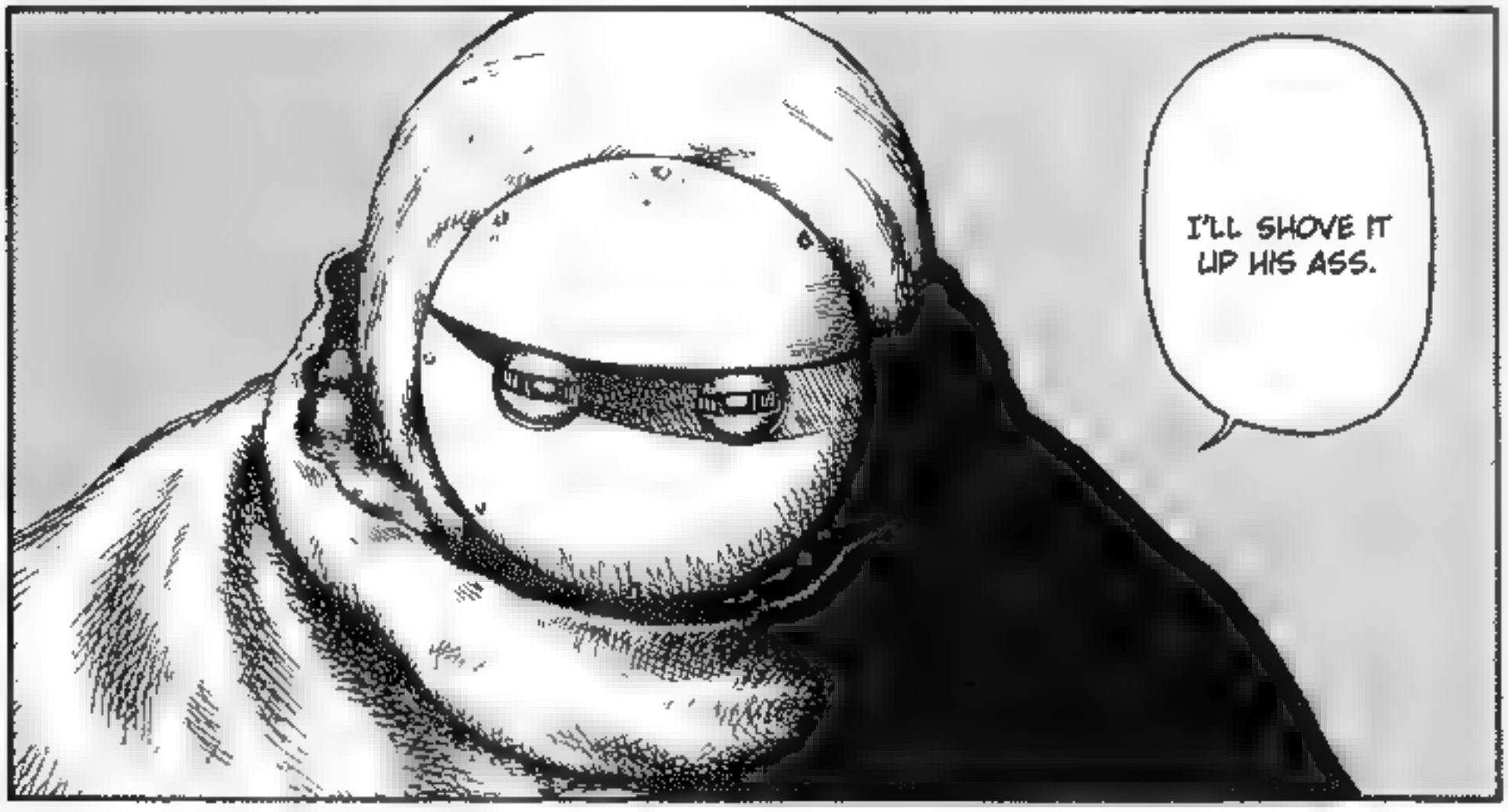

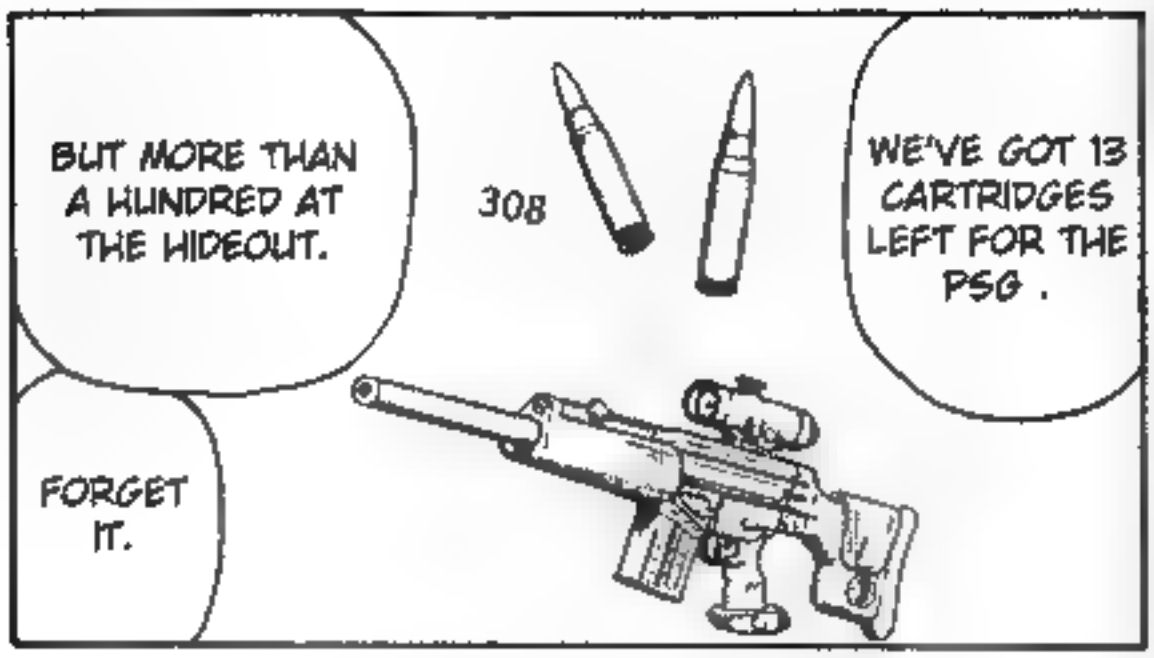
BUT MORE THAN A HUNDRED AT THE HIDEOUT.
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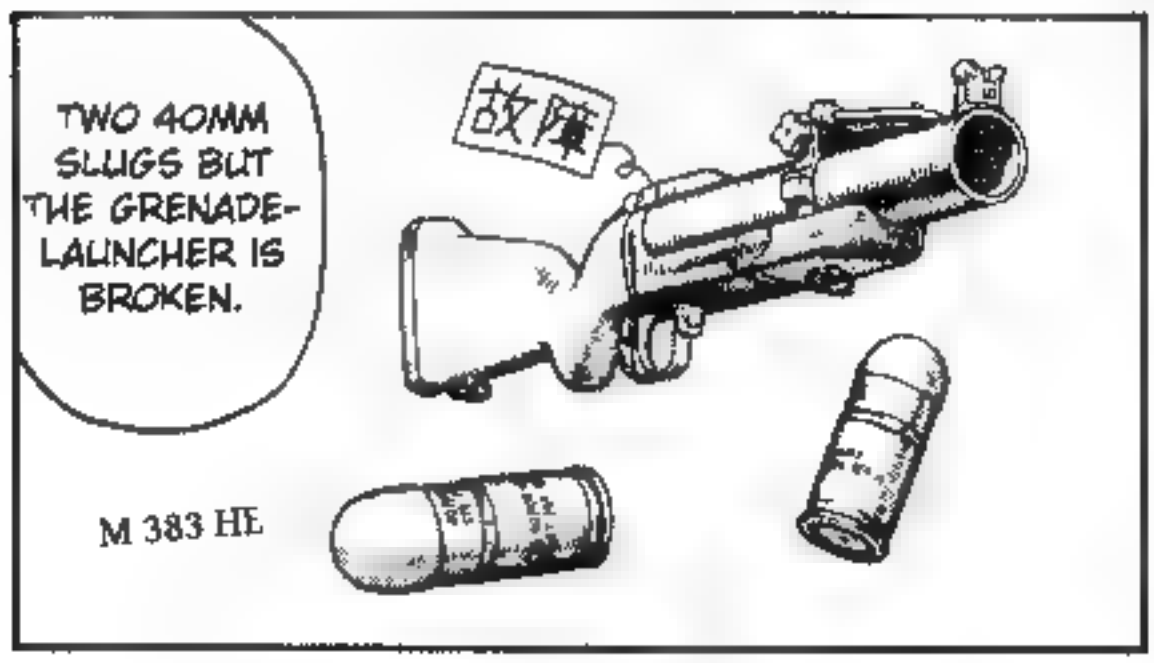
WE'VE GOT 13 CARTRIDGES LEFT FOR THE PSG .
FORGET IT.


TWO 40MM SLUGS BUT THE GRENADE-LAUNCHER IS BROKEN.
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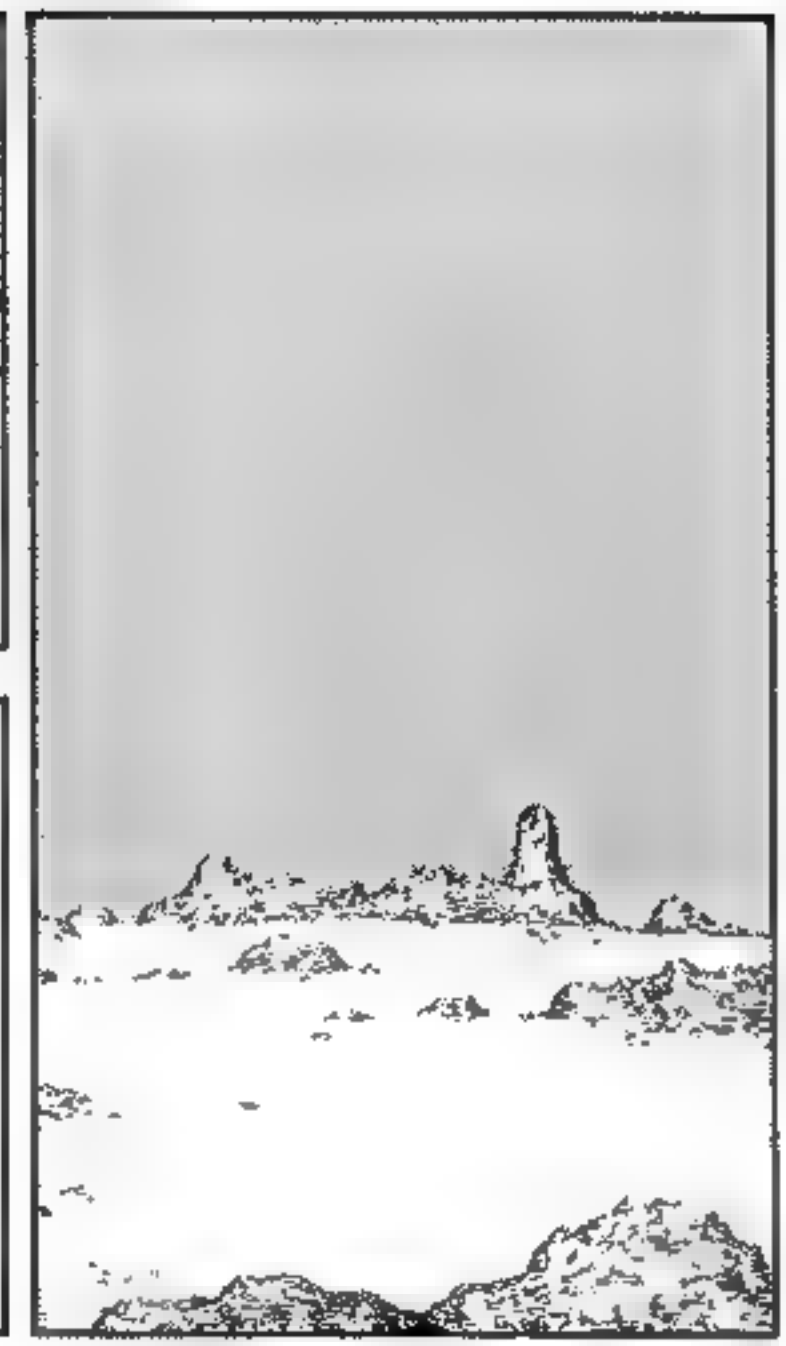
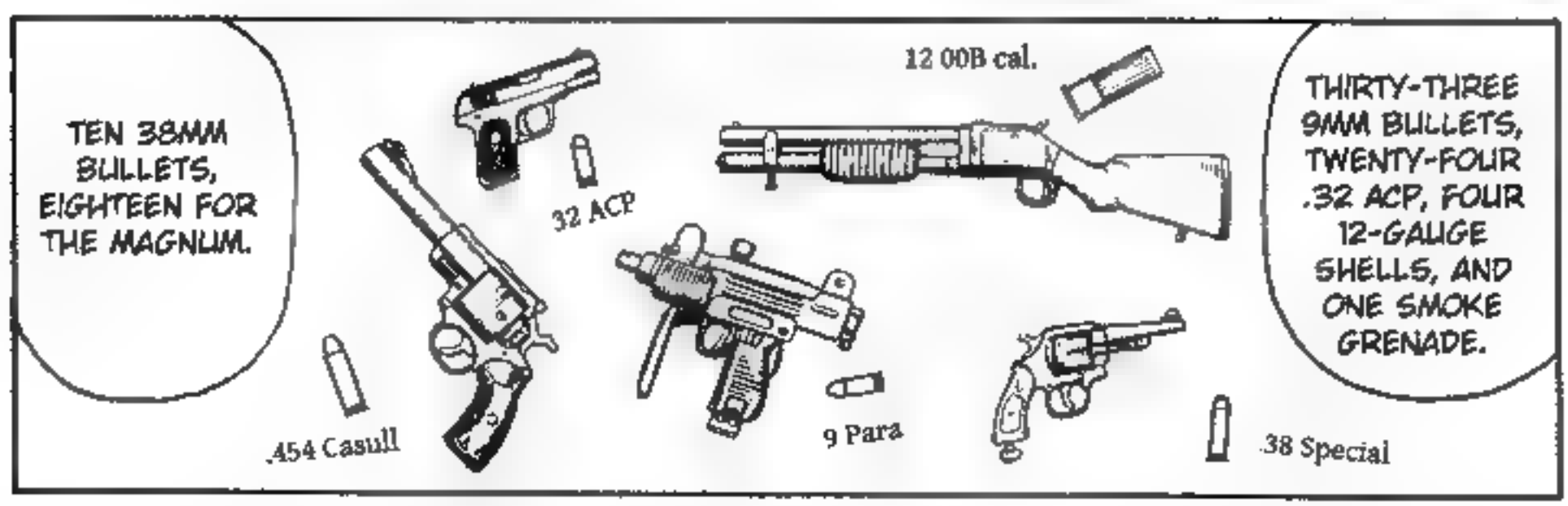
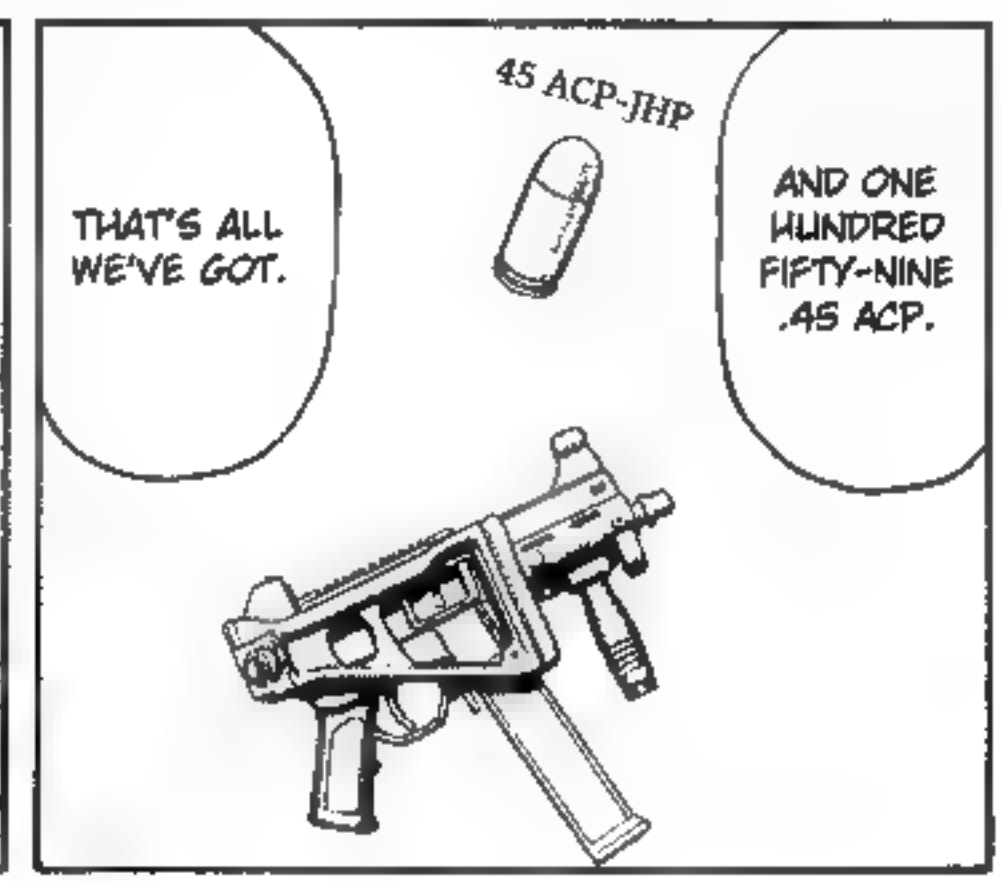



TEN 38MM BULLETS, EIGHTEEN FOR THE MAGNUM.
12 00B cal.
32 ACP
.454 Casull
9 Para
.38 Special
THIRTY-THREE 9MM BULLETS, TWENTY-FOUR .32 ACP, FOUR 12-GAUGE SHELLS, AND ONE SMOKE GRENADE.

EVERYTHING IS UNSUITED. WE CAN'T USE ALL OF IT TOGETHER.
We're broke
WE CAN'T PLAY WAR.
Hmm


THAT'S ALL WE'VE GOT.
45 ACP-JHP
AND ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-NINE .45 ACP.

BAH, IT'S USELESS TO TALK ABOUT WHAT'S MISSING NOW.

WHY IS ONE RATION OF FOOD AND WATER MISSING?

THEY'RE SEIJI'S BELONGINGS YOU TOOK THE OTHER NIGHT, AREN'T THEY?

HEY, THAT'S MY STUFF!

Seiji's supplies included

AS FOR THE SUPPLIES AND WATER, WITH THE FOUR OF US, WE CAN LAST 4 DAYS, TOPS.

HEY!

IDIOT!

WOULDN'T IT BE BETTER TO GET AWAY AS SOON AS WE CAN ?

YOU REALLY THINK OF FIGHTING THEM HERE?

Moreover, with a klutz like her

THESE GUYS ARE PROS, THEY WON'T LET US ESCAPE.

IF WE ARE TO WIN, IT'LL HAPPEN HERE

Ruins

Monoliths forest

Grottos

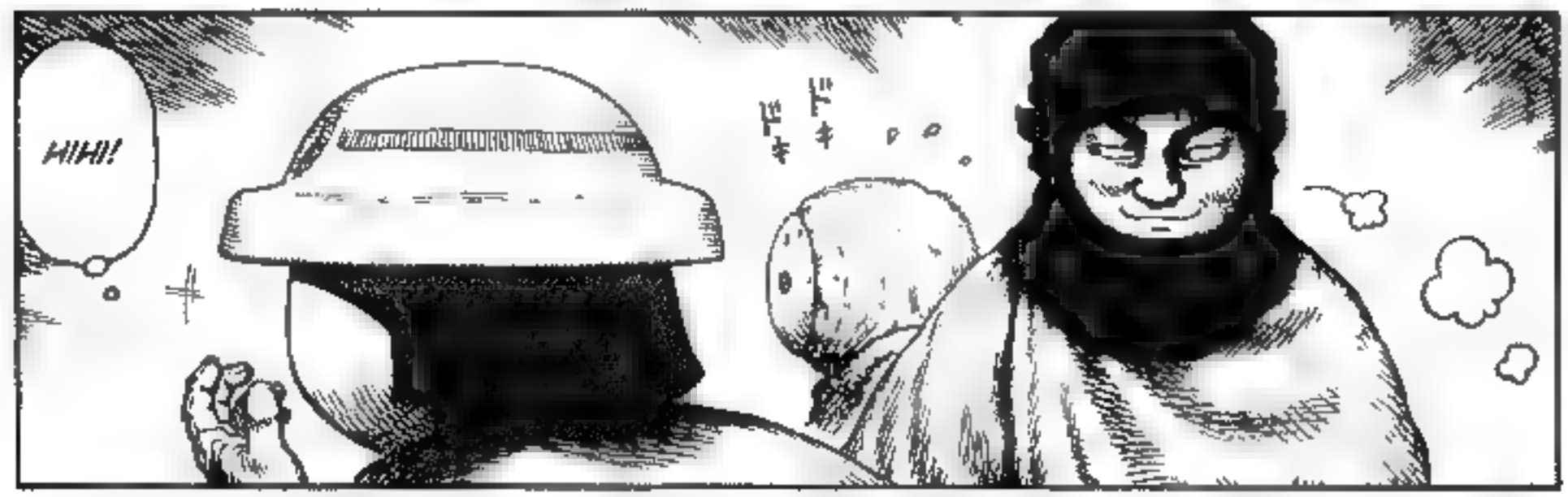
Entrenchment

Desert

BEYOND THOSE RUINS LIES THE DESERT. AND IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO HIDE THERE.

HOW OPTIMISTIC ...
GOT IT?
WITH SEIJI'S HELP, WE'RE GONNA PUSH THE ENEMY BACK.
.....

IT'S REASSURING.
MY ONLY SATISFATCTION IS THAT WE'VE GOT A GREAT TRACKING SYSTEM TOO.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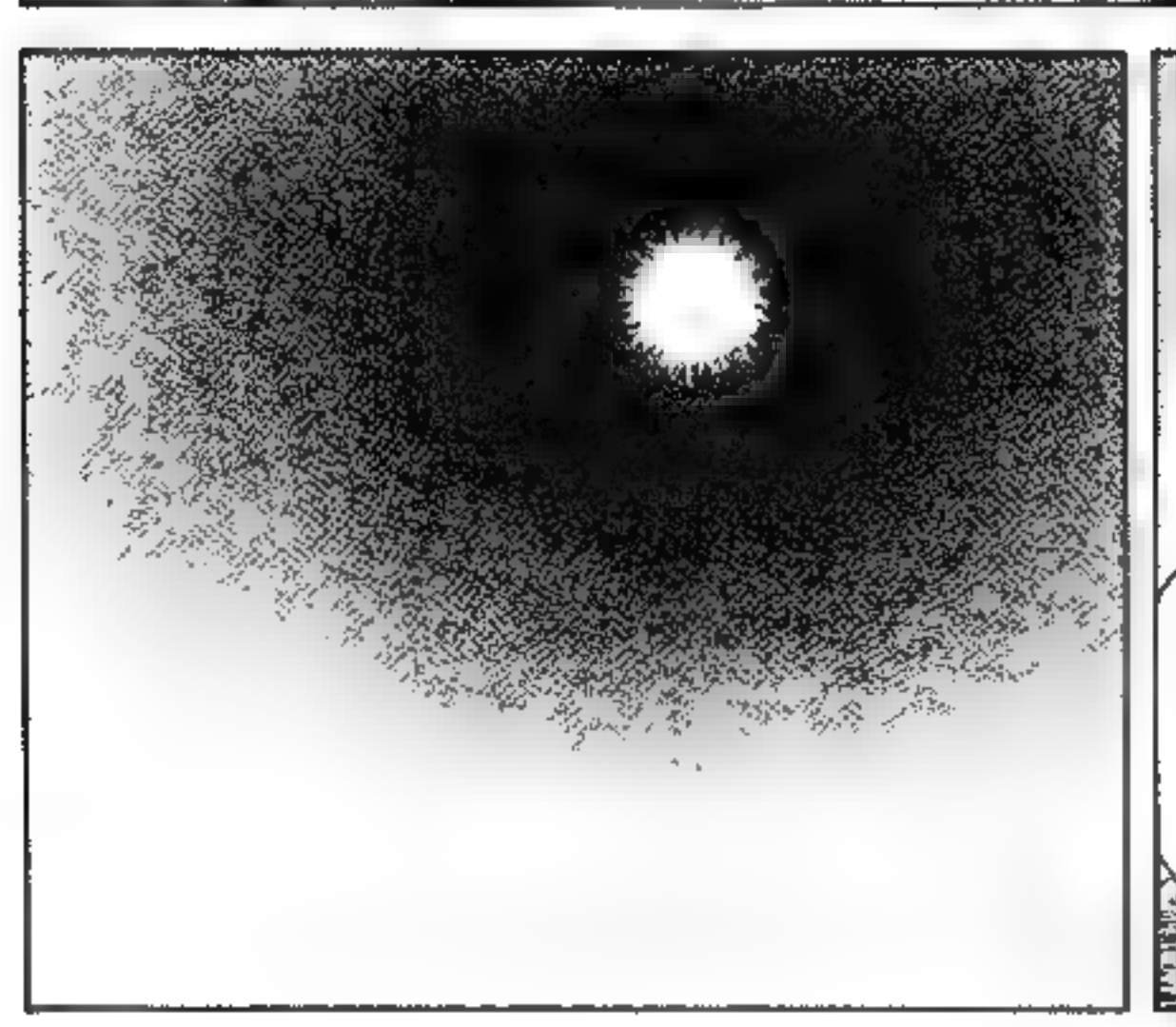

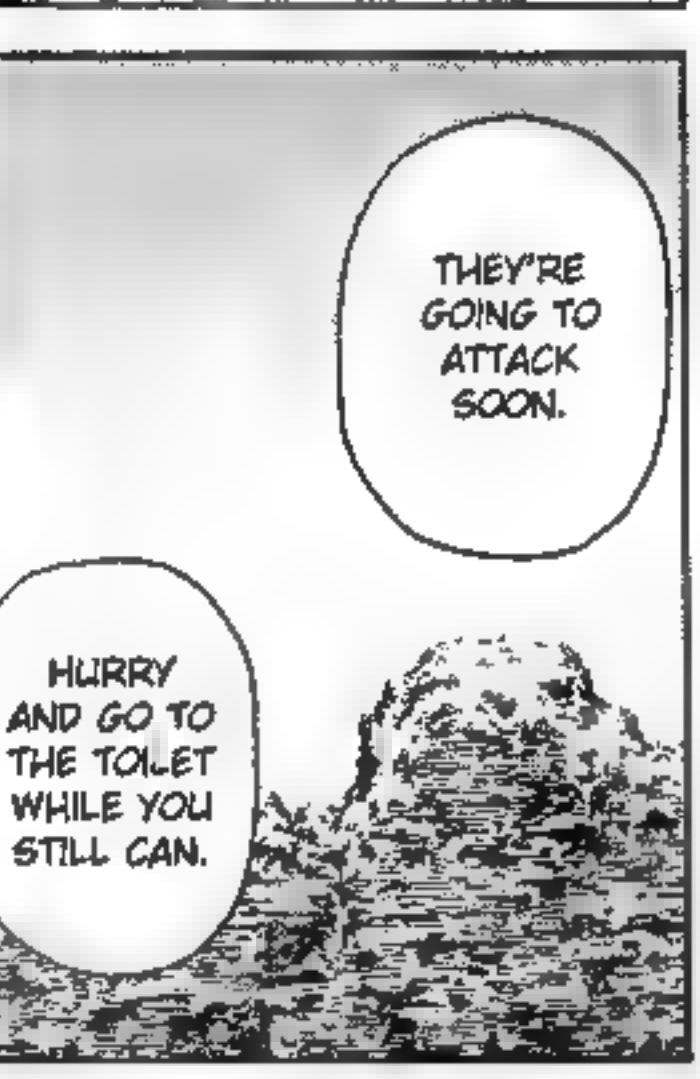
THEY'RE GOING TO ATTACK SOON.
HURRY AND GO TO THE TOILET WHILE YOU STILL CAN.

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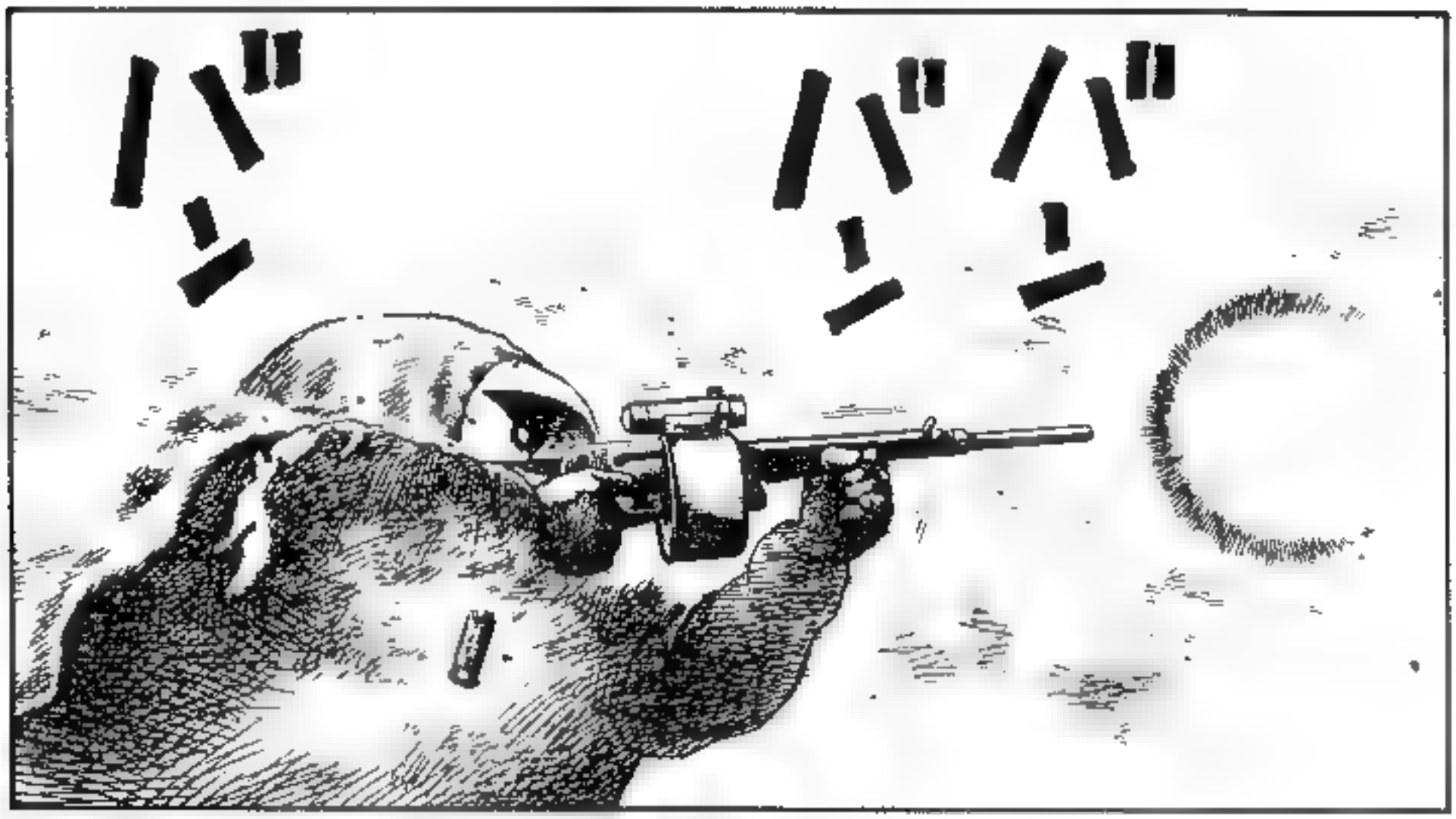
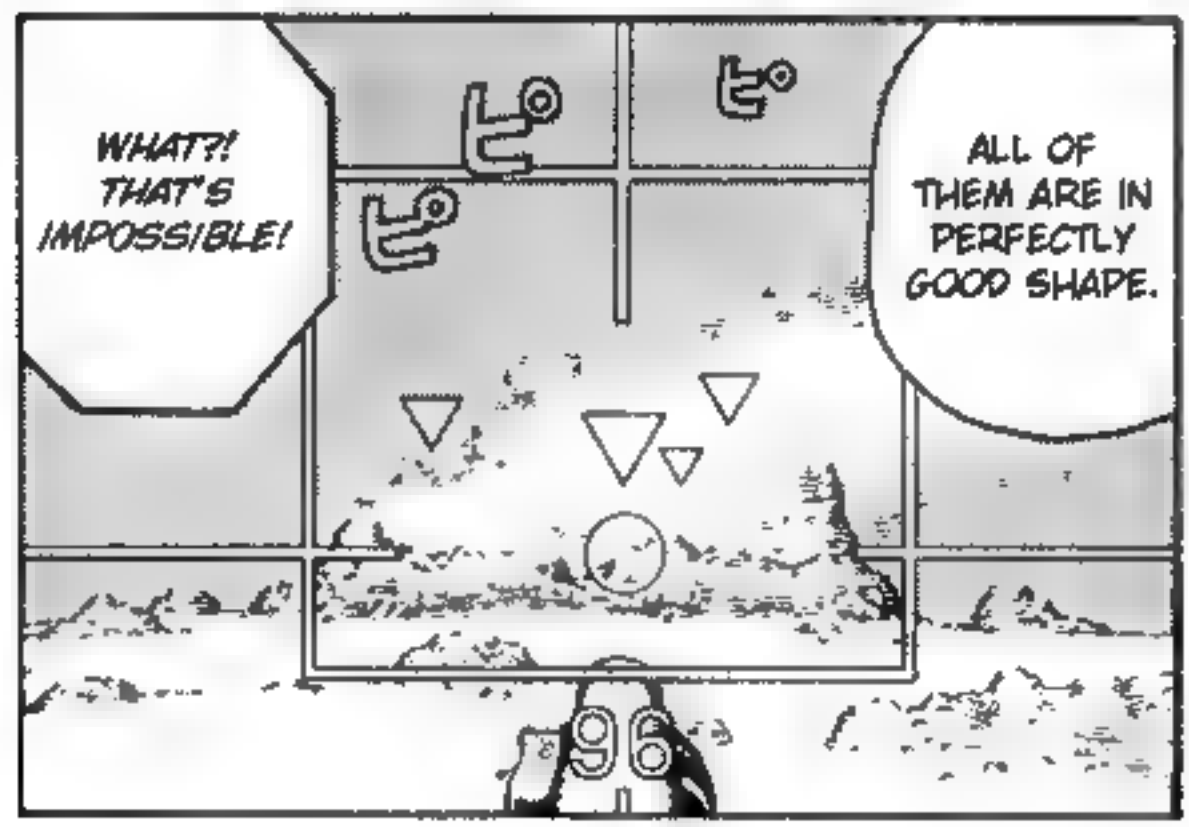


THEY SHOULD BE DEAD WITH THIS.
GOOD ..

SO?


WHAT?! THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE!
ALL OF THEM ARE IN PERFECTLY GOOD SHAPE.
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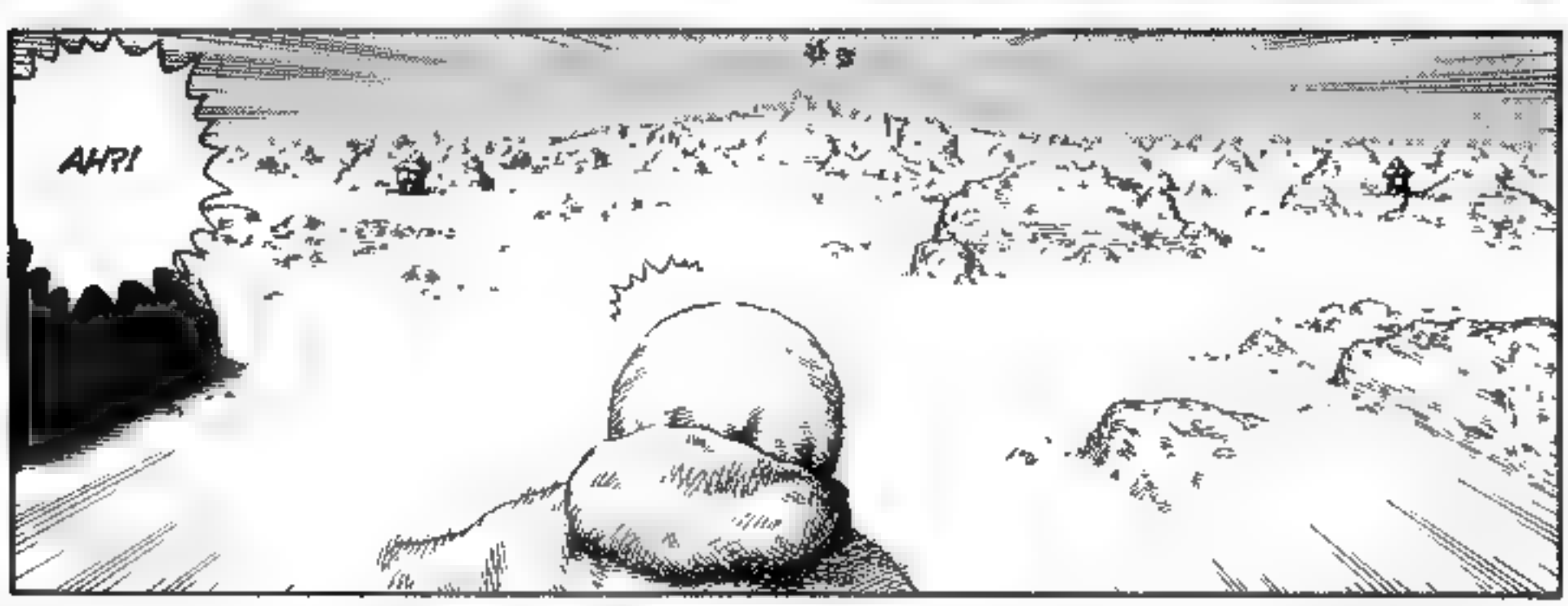
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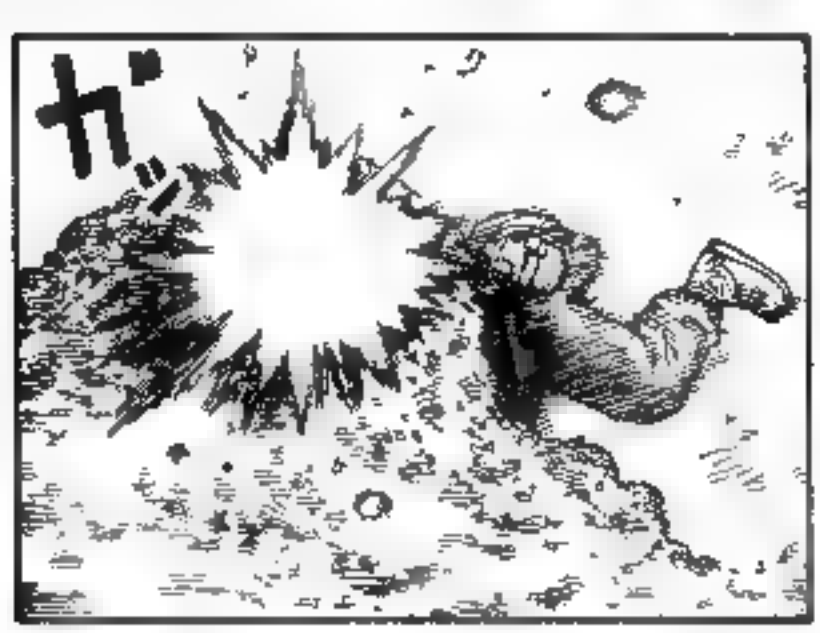
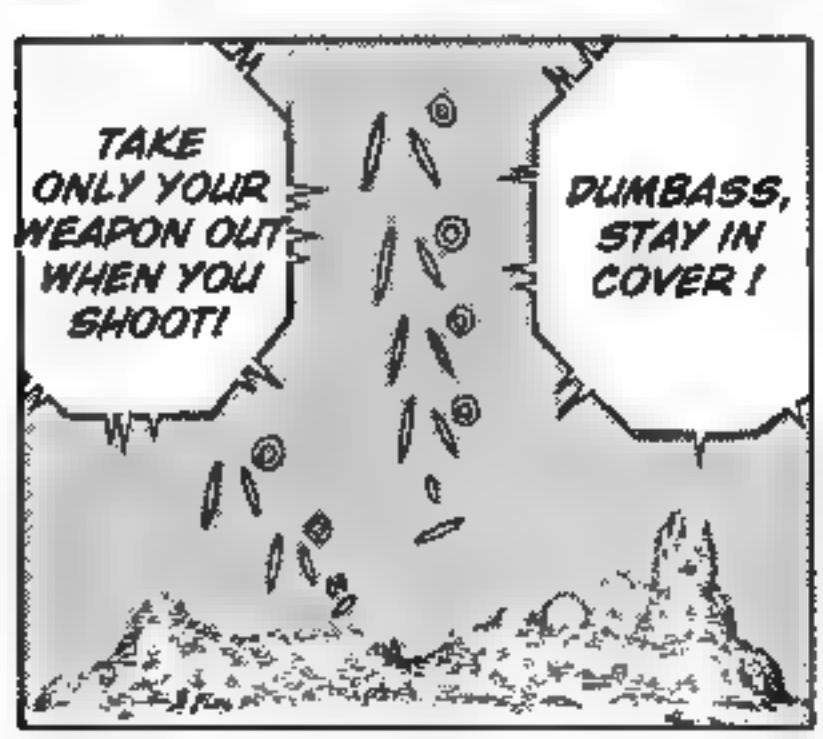
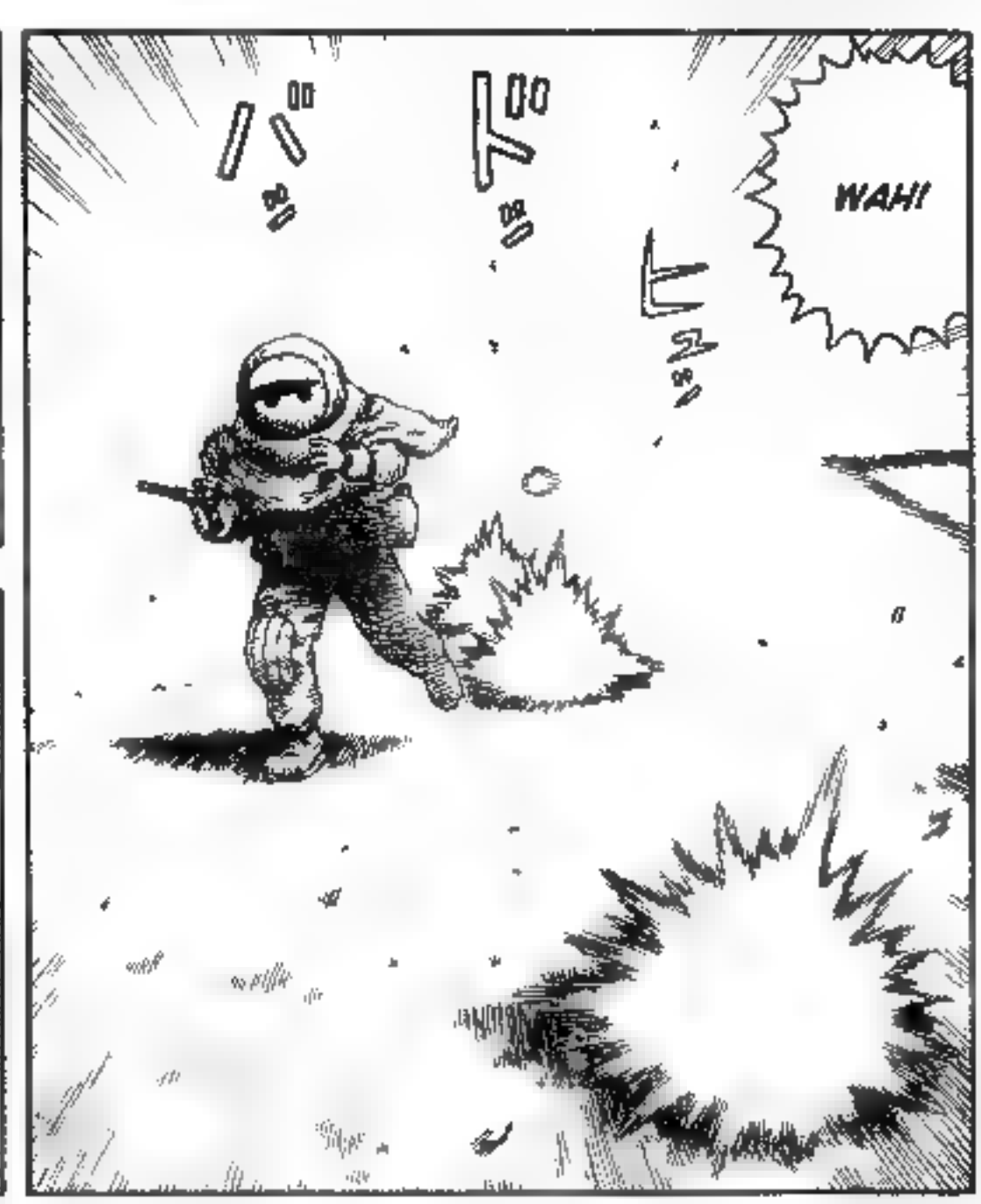



TAKE ONLY YOUR WEAPON OUT WHEN YOU SHOOT!
DUMBASS, STAY IN COVER!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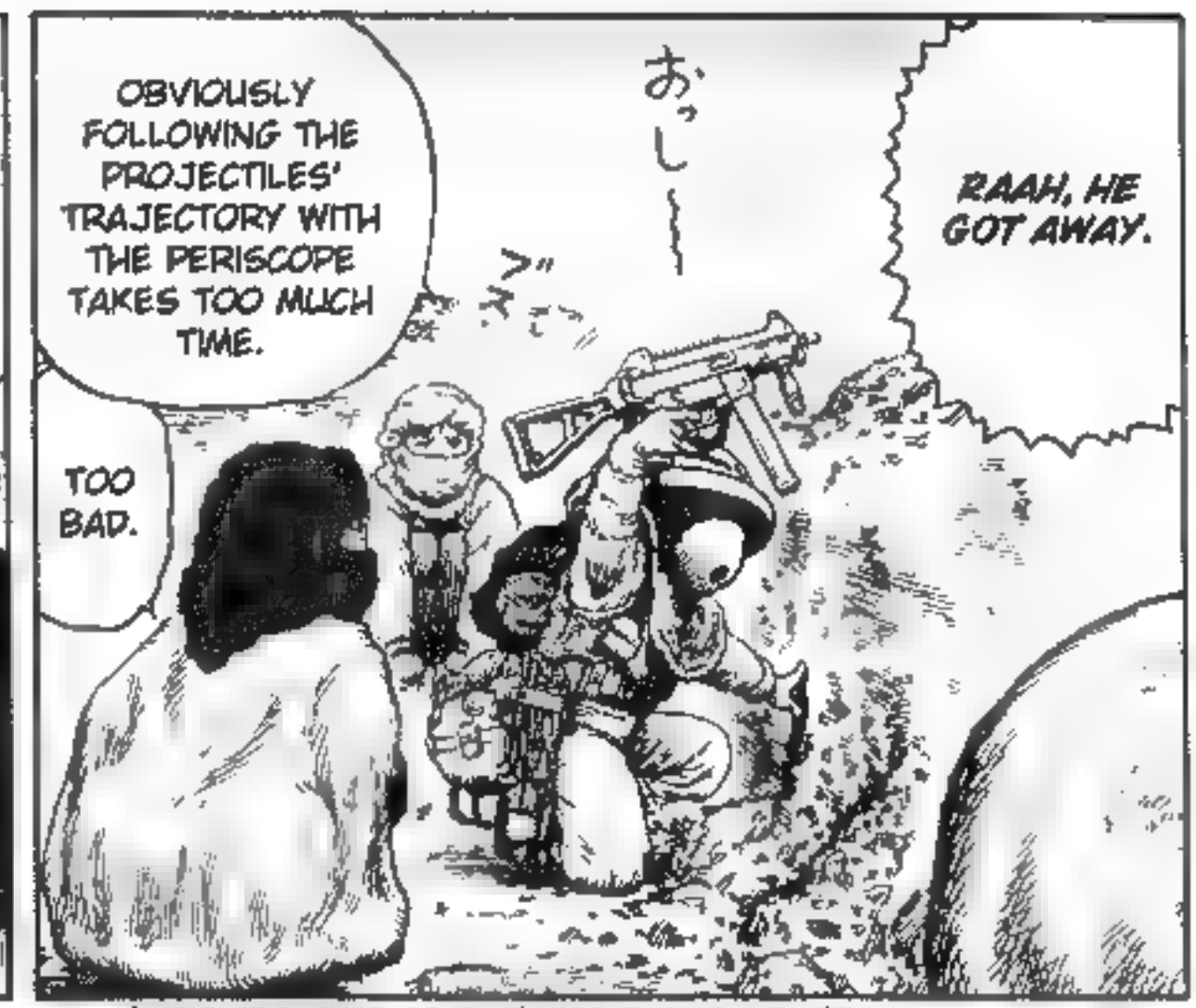
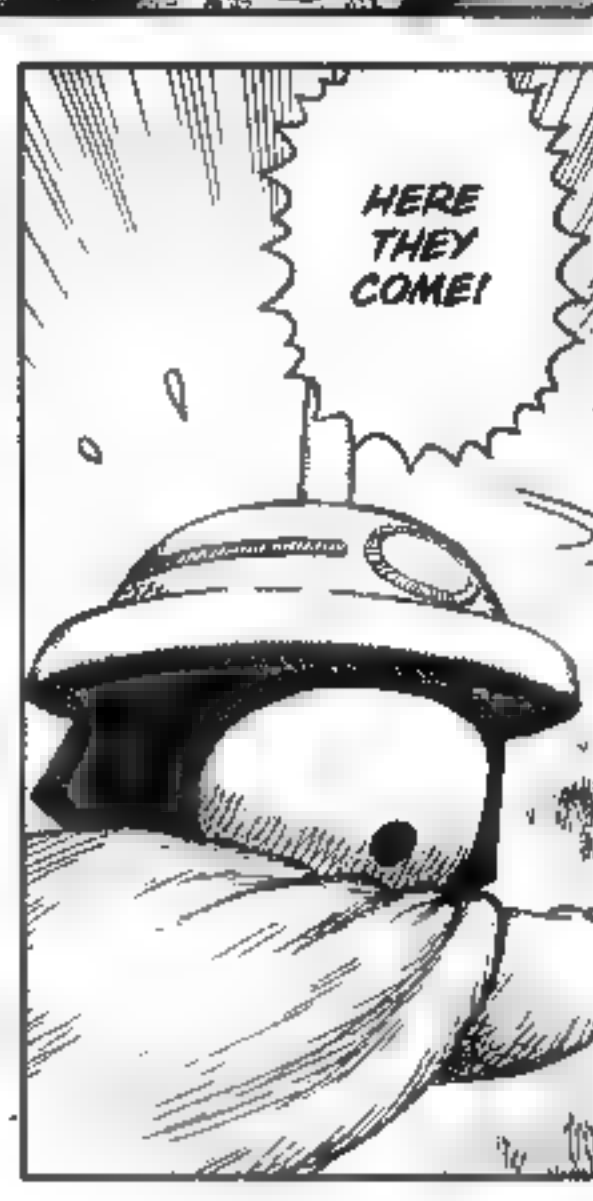
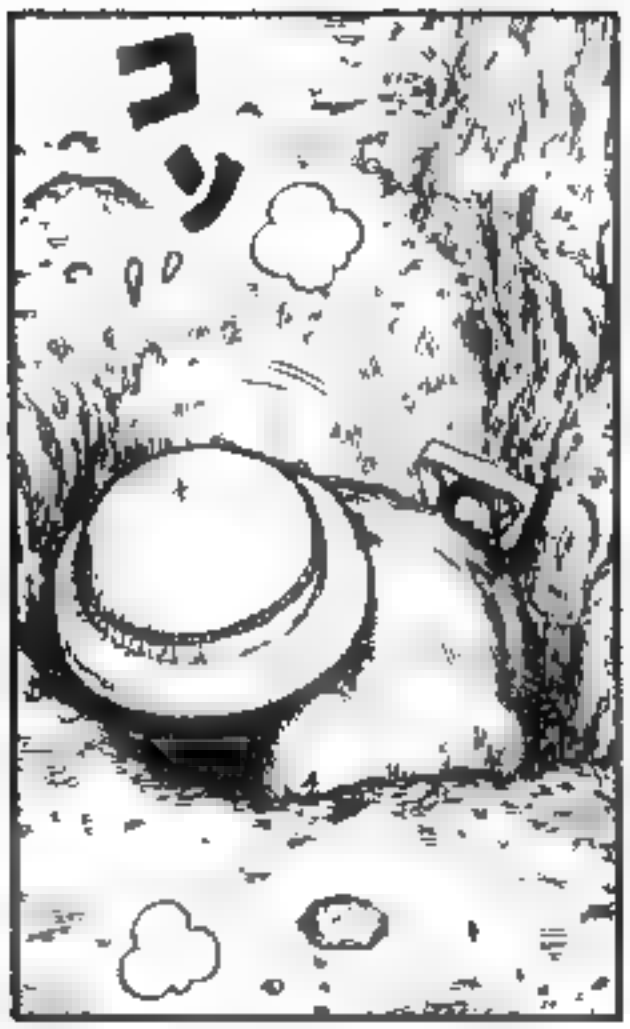


HE'S CROUCHED AS IF HE WAS TAKING A DUMP

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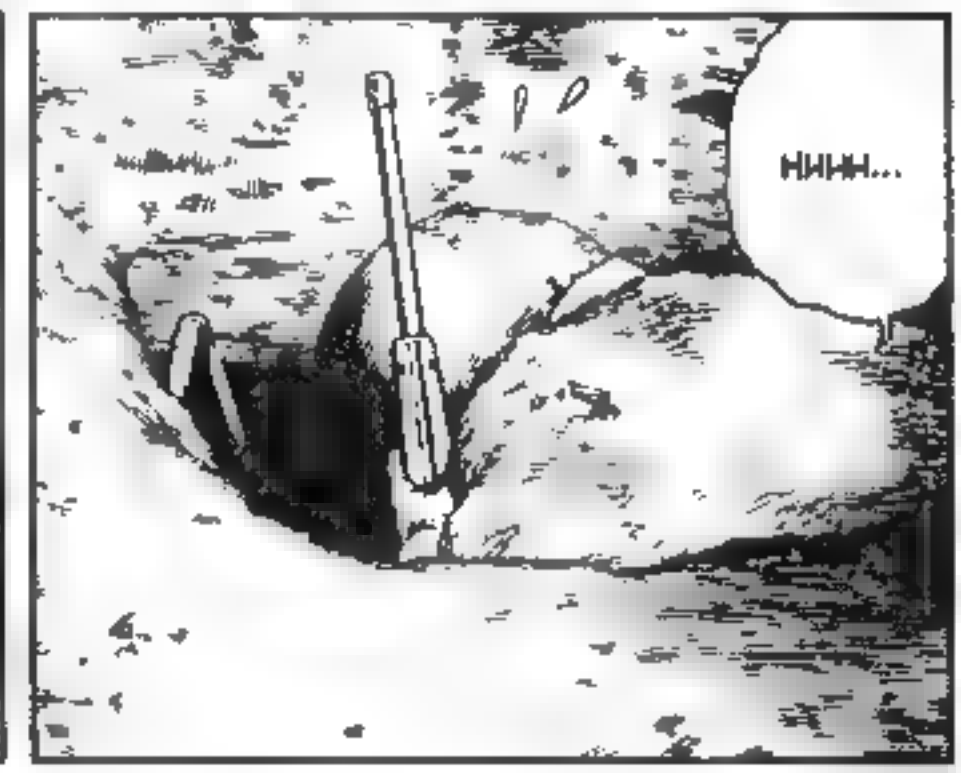
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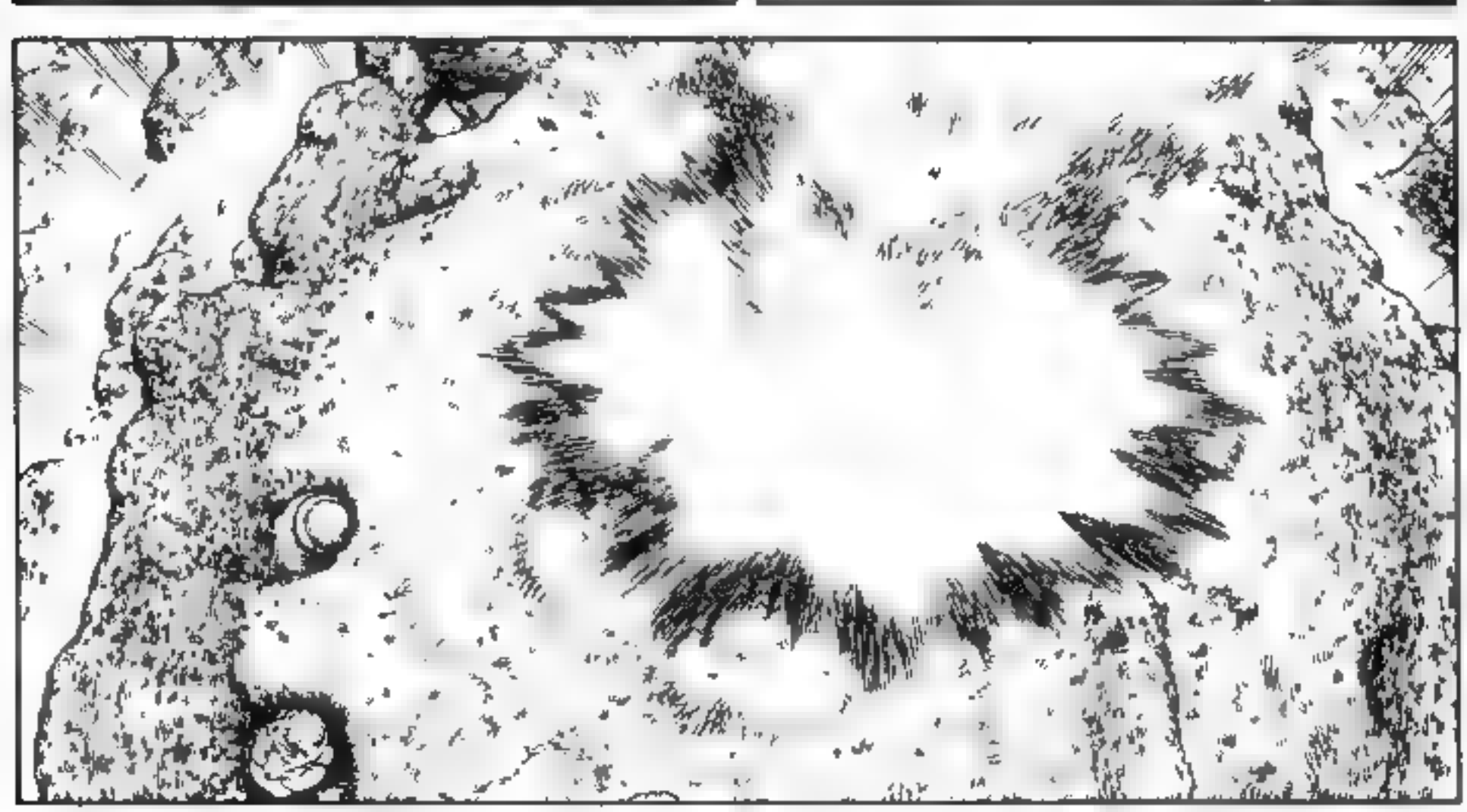

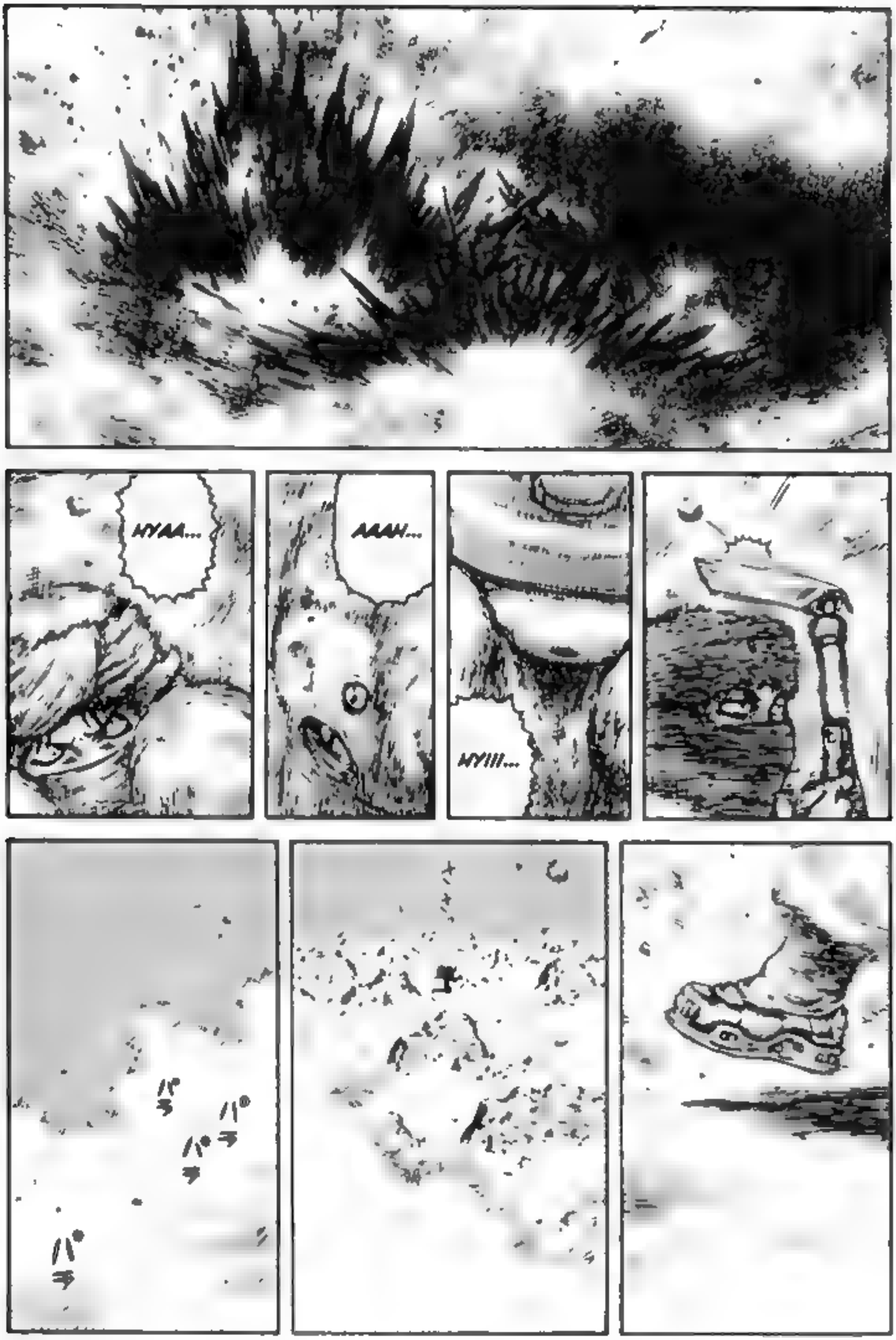
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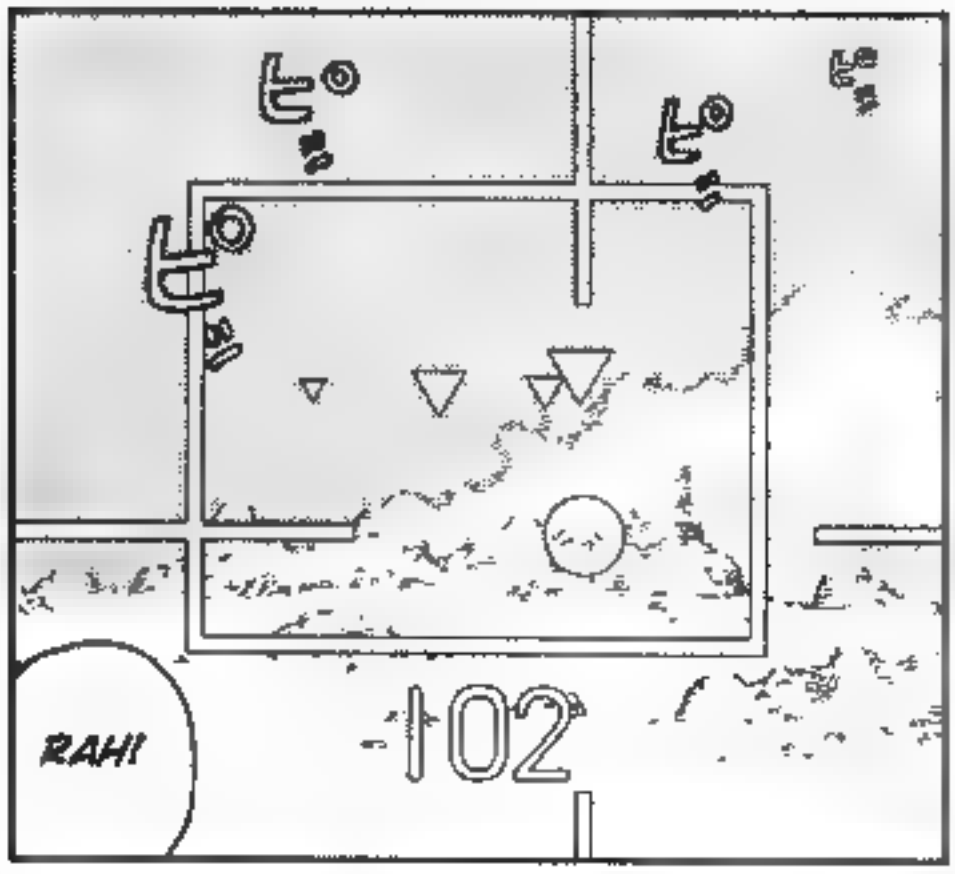
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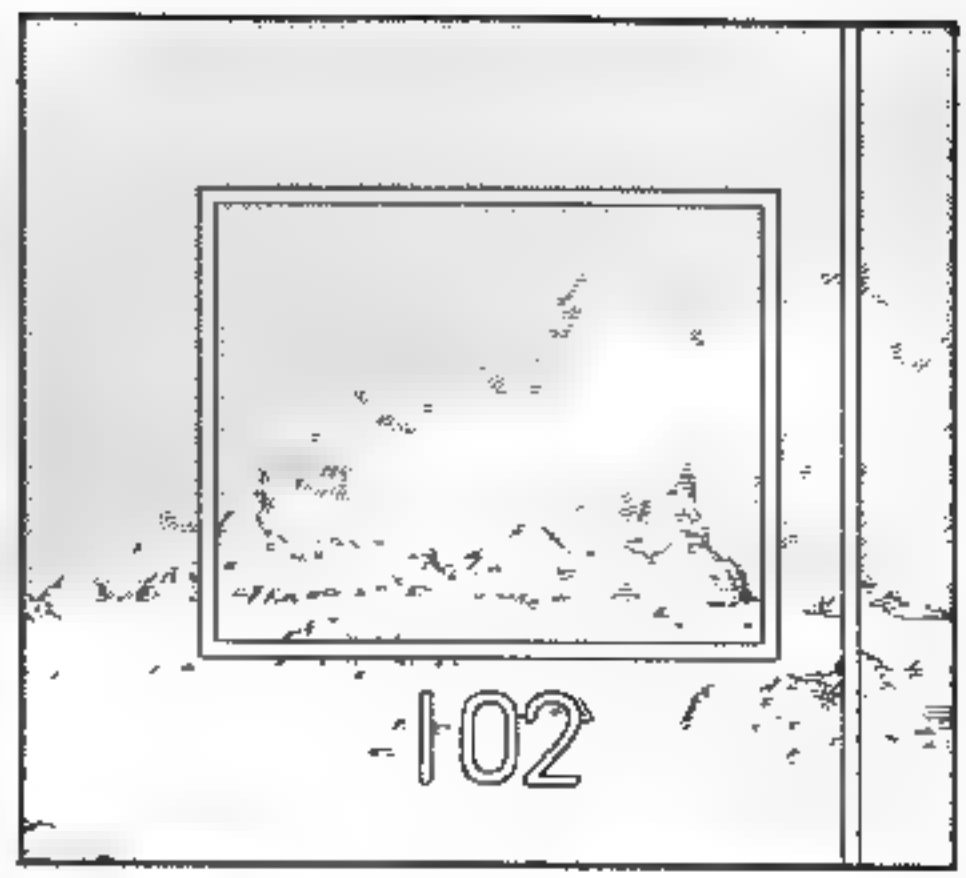
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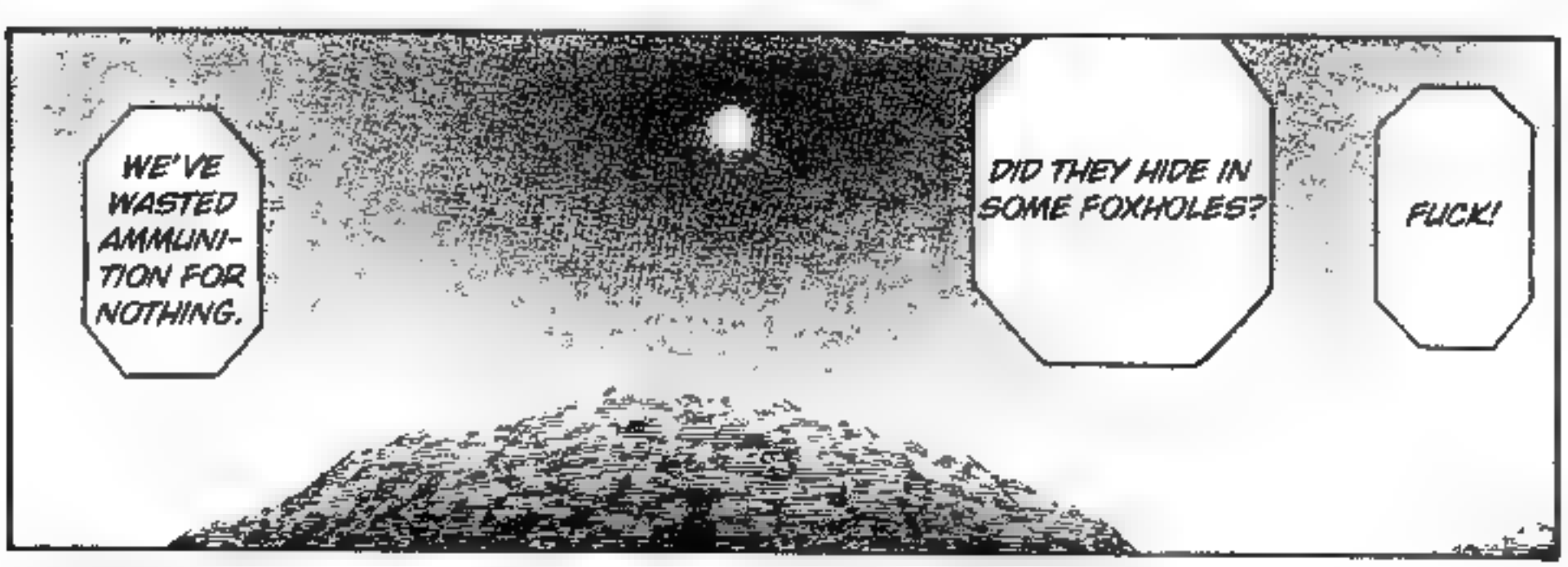
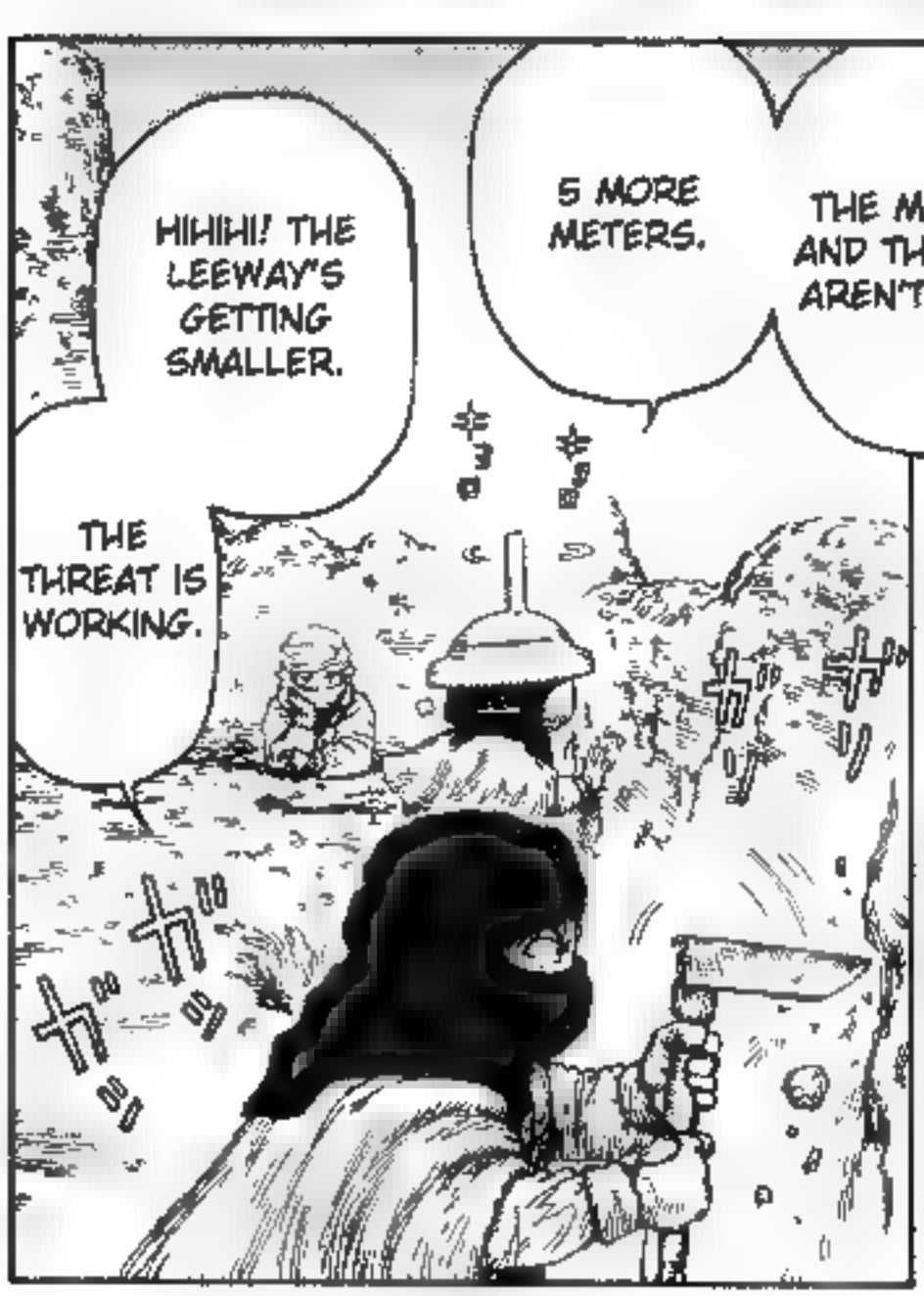
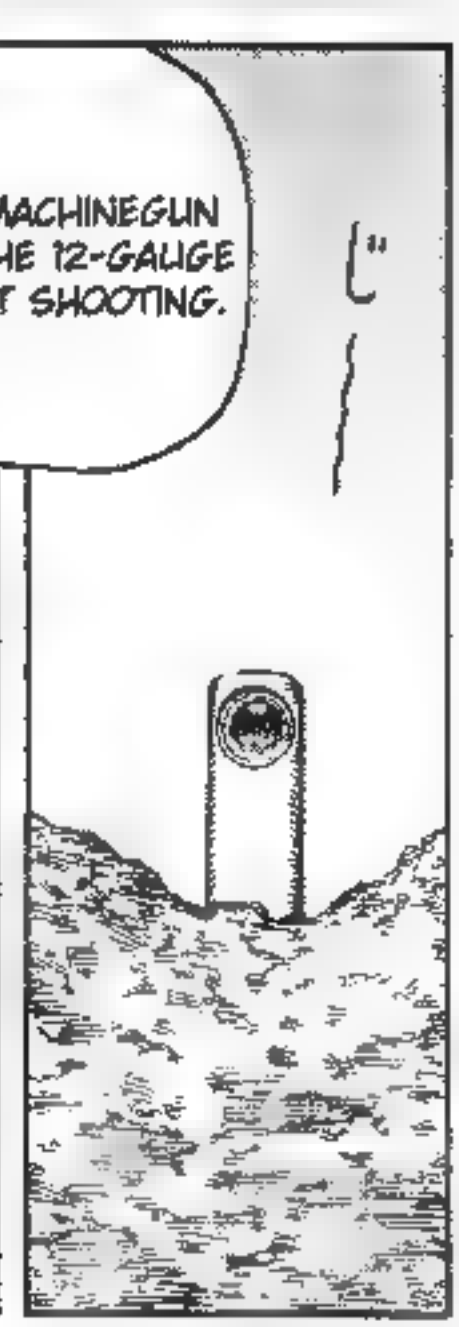

WE'VE WASTED AMMUNITION FOR NOTHING.
DID THEY HIDE IN SOME FOXHOLES?
FUCK!


HIHIHI! THE LEEWAY'S GETTING SMALLER.
5 MORE METERS.
THE MACHINEGUN AND THE 12-GAUGE AREN'T SHOOTING.
THE THREAT IS WORKING.



LET'S GET AS CLOSE AS WE CAN.

IF ONE OF THEM IS ATTACKED, THE OTHER TWO WILL JUMP ON US.
THEY WORK IN UNISON. THEY WERE TRAINED TO COVER EACH OTHER.
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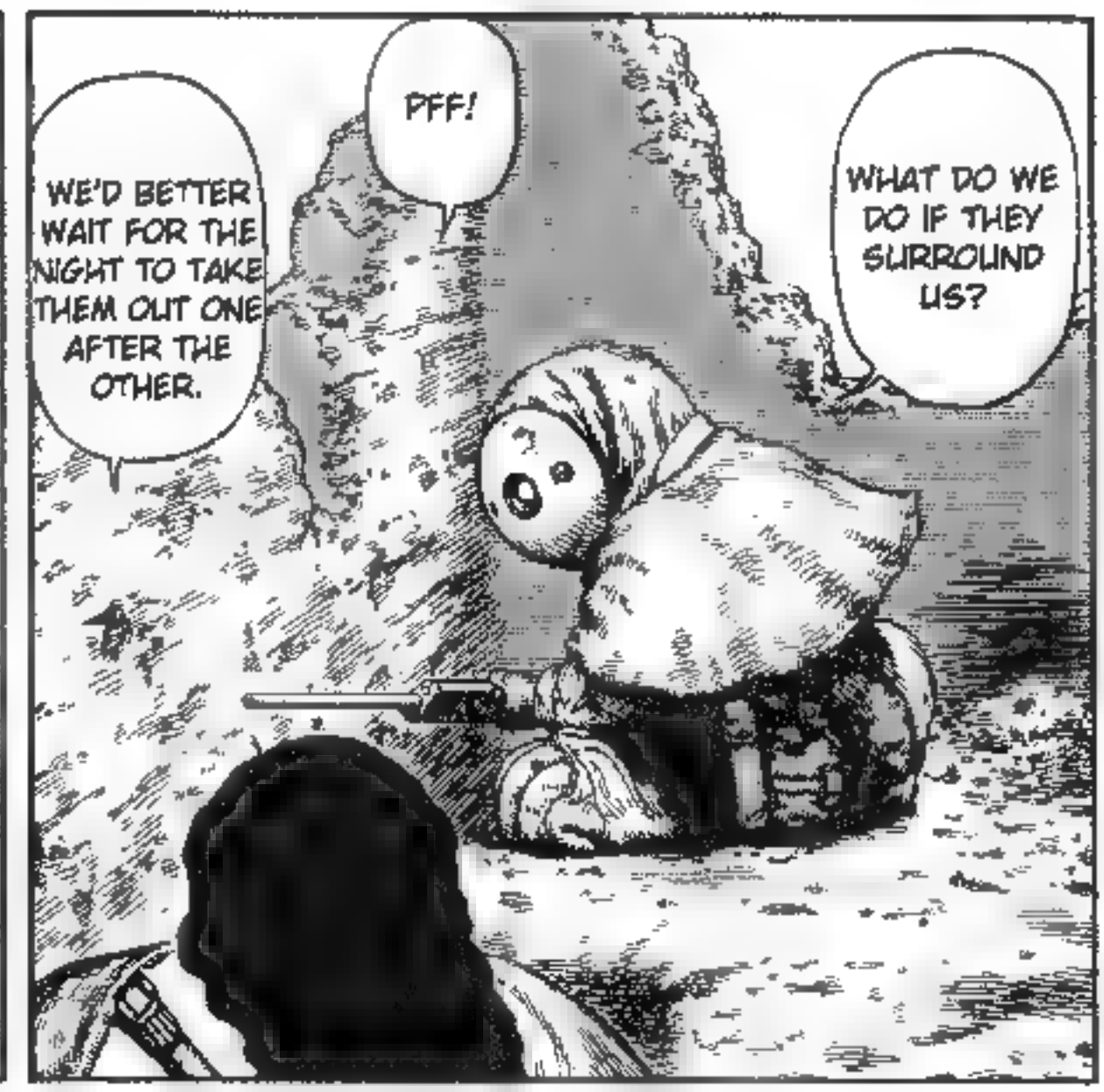
WE'D BETTER WAIT FOR THE NIGHT TO TAKE THEM OUT ONE AFTER THE OTHER.
PFF!
WHAT DO WE DO IF THEY SURROUND US?

IT'S AN INFALLIBLE TACTIC, AND EVERYONE KNOWS IT.
DURING A NAVAL BOMBARDMENT, THE MILITARY FORCE AND THE TROOPS' MORAL IS AFFECTED. IT'S STOPPED IMMEDIATELY.

I'M USELESS HERE, I CAN'T EVEN GET MY HEAD OUT.
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ER...
IT SUCKS.

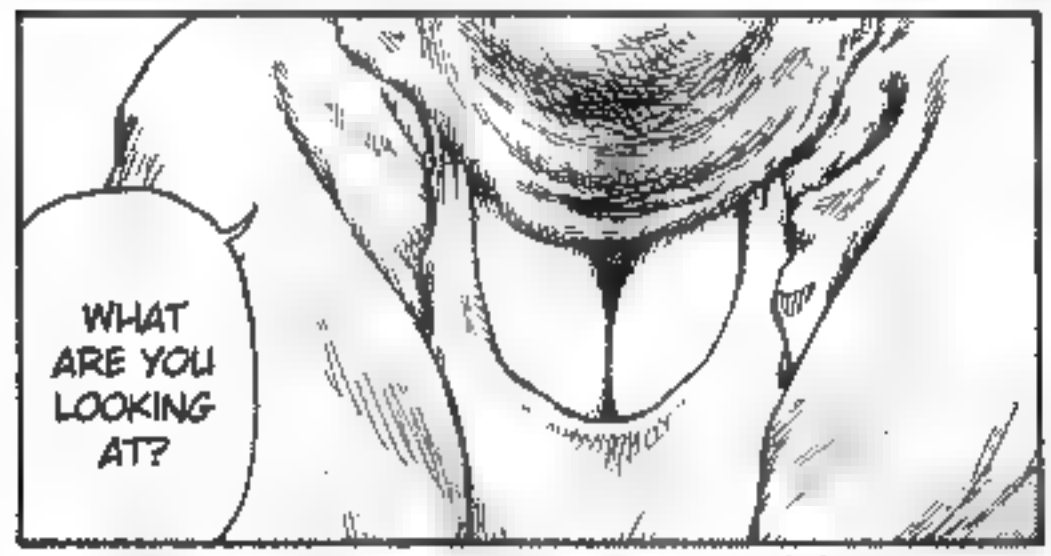
AND SO AM I, OF COURSE.
THEY'RE SCARED.

HE ACTS ONLY WHEN HE'S SURE OF THE RESULT.
A PRO DOESN'T ACT FOOL-ISHLY.

LIKE YOU, THESE GUYS KNOW THE ASSETS OF THE "SPECIAL".
HELP US.
SEIJI, JUST STAY HERE, QUIETLY.
YEAH, WE'VE GOT TO FIGHT FIRE WITH FIRE.

I UNDER-STOOD YOU DIDN'T WANT TO ATTACK IMMEDIATELY, BUT...
HUH?

AND, WHAT NEXT?


WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING AT?

WELL...
NEXT...

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I CAN'T BE STUCK HERE ANY LONGER.
EXCEPTIONALLY, YOU MUST GET ME OUT OF HERE, SAFE AND SOUND.
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I DON'T THINK IT'LL WORK!
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ARE YOU CONFIDENT?!
WHAT'S YOUR STRATEGY?
WE DON'T HAVE ANY MORE AMMO, NOR SUPPLIES, NOR TOILETS.

I PLANNED EVERYTHING.
Be patient
LEAVE IT TO ME.

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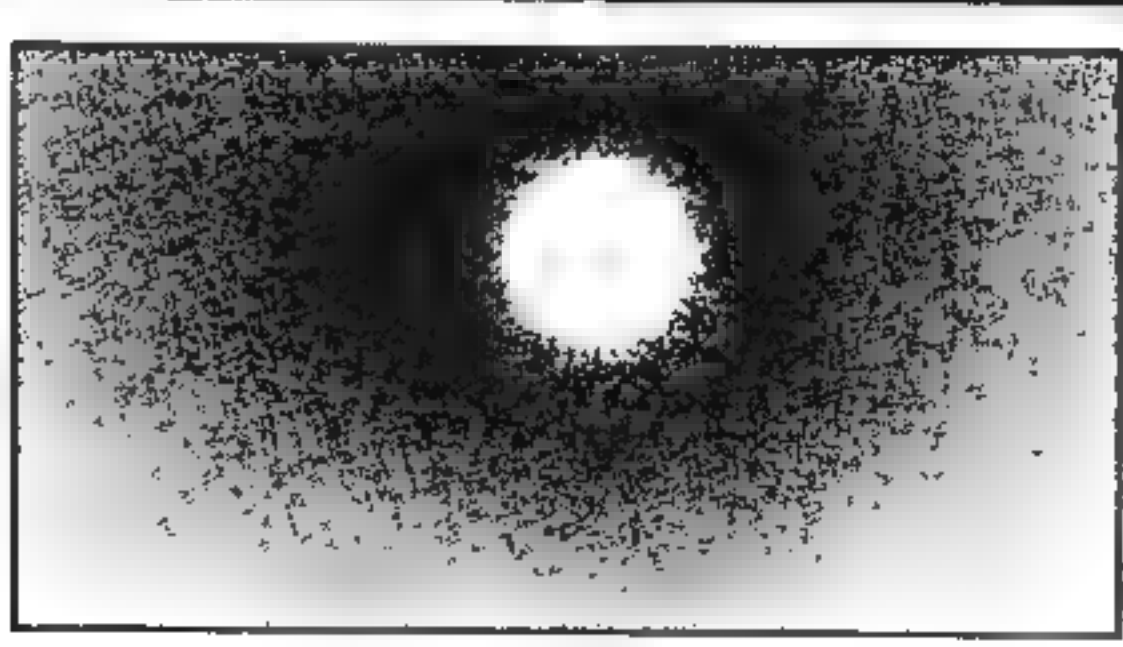
PUT THE SAFETY BACK ON.

I'M NOT THE LOOSER TYPE.
YOU KNOW ..



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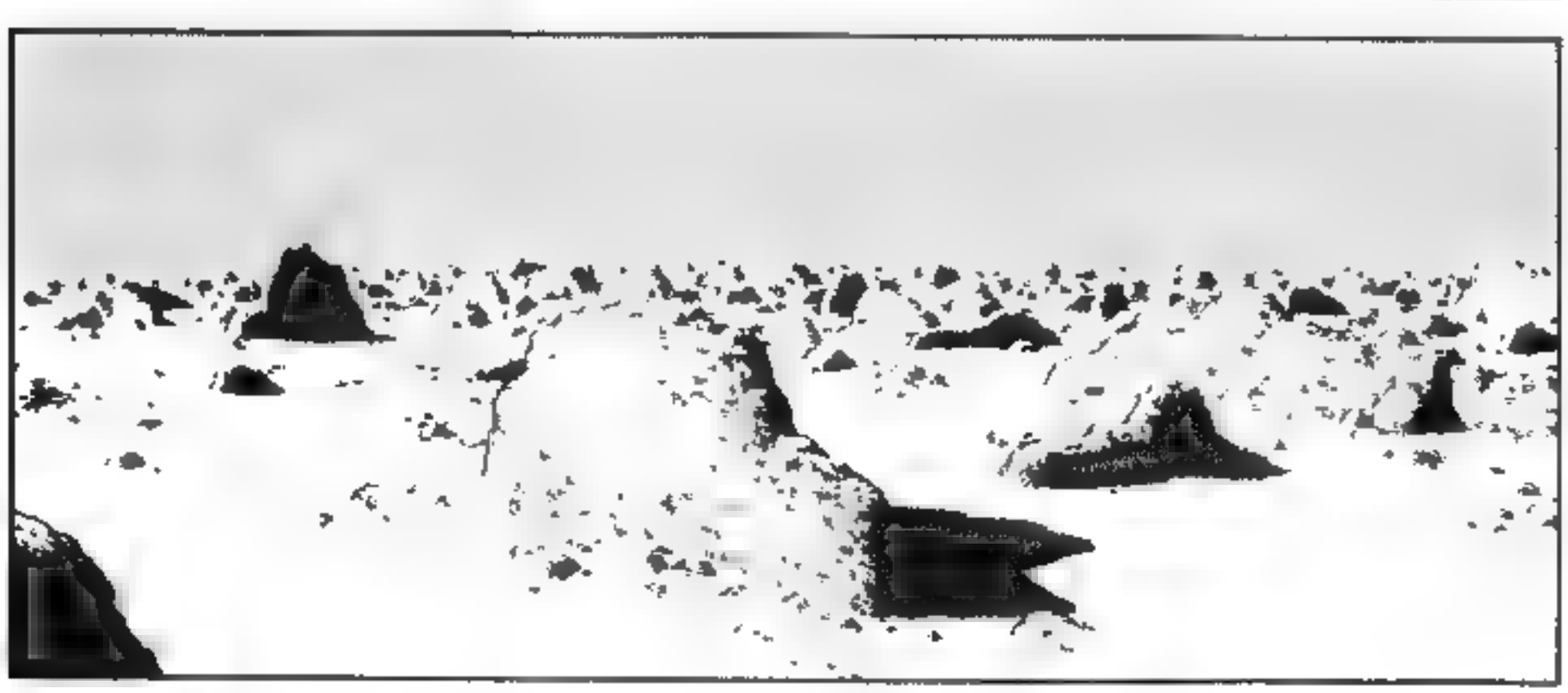
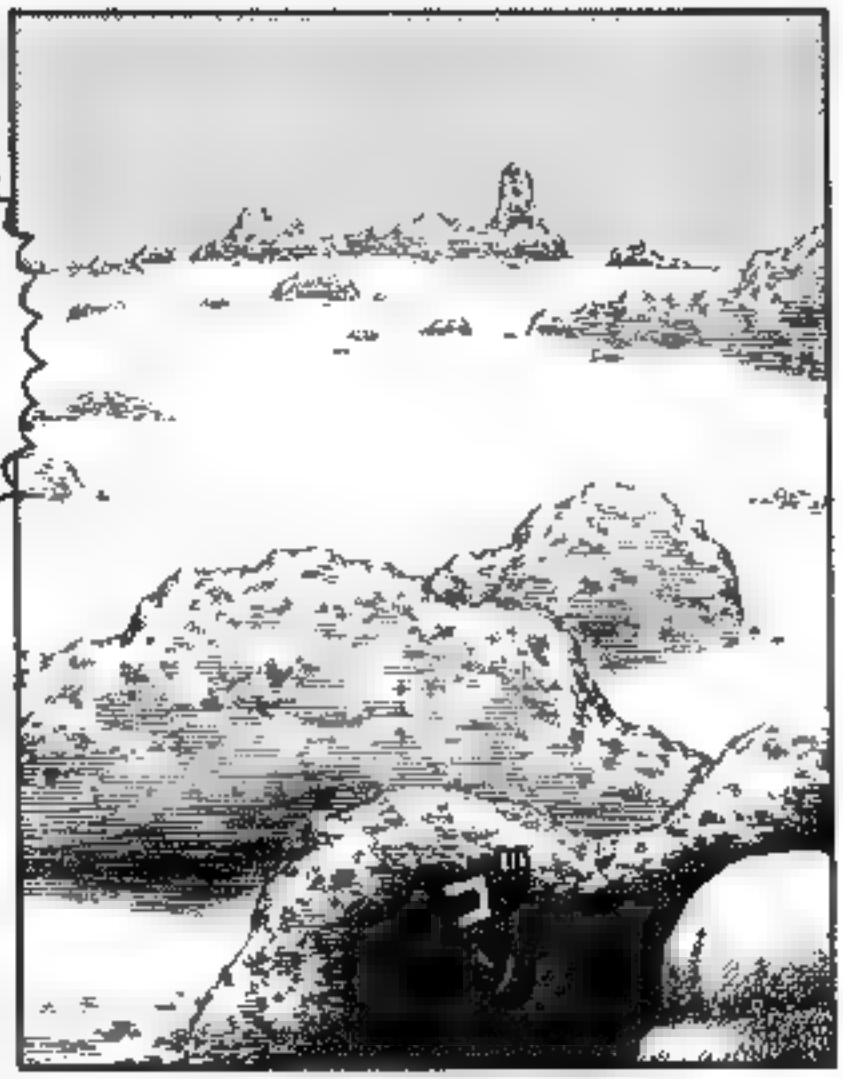


The enemy can be seen only through this opening.

A mirror is attached to the spade.

He can cover a bigger area

KHYAA!



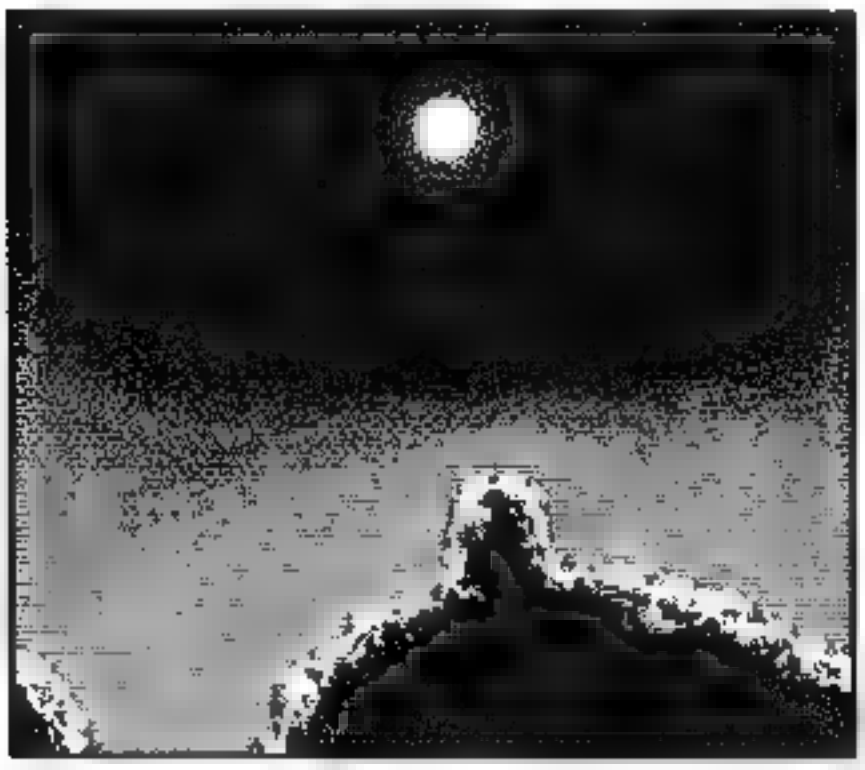
YOU JUST THREW IT AWAY!

YES, I DO!

AS IF YOU KNEW HOW TO USE IT!

GIVE ME THE MAGNUM!

HEY!



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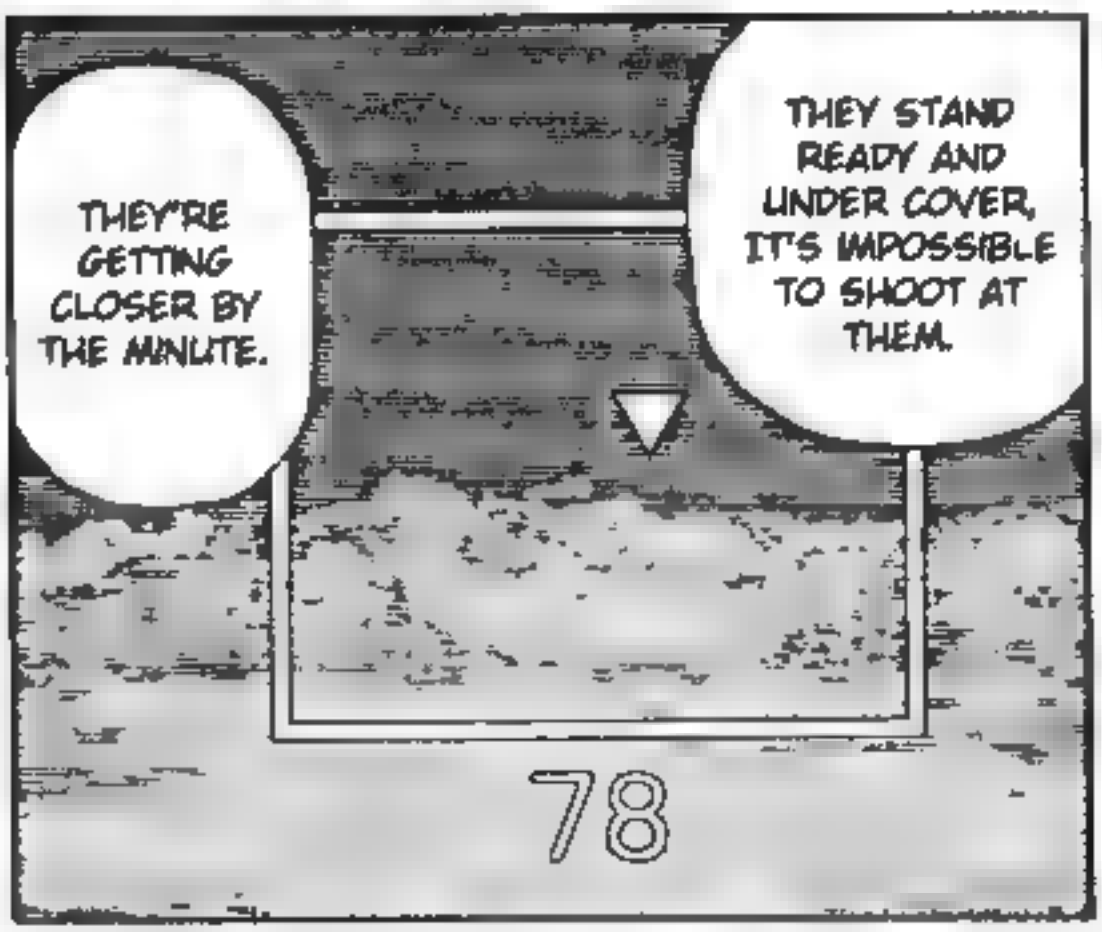
THEY'RE GETTING CLOSER BY THE MINUTE.
THEY STAND READY AND UNDER COVER, IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO SHOOT AT THEM.
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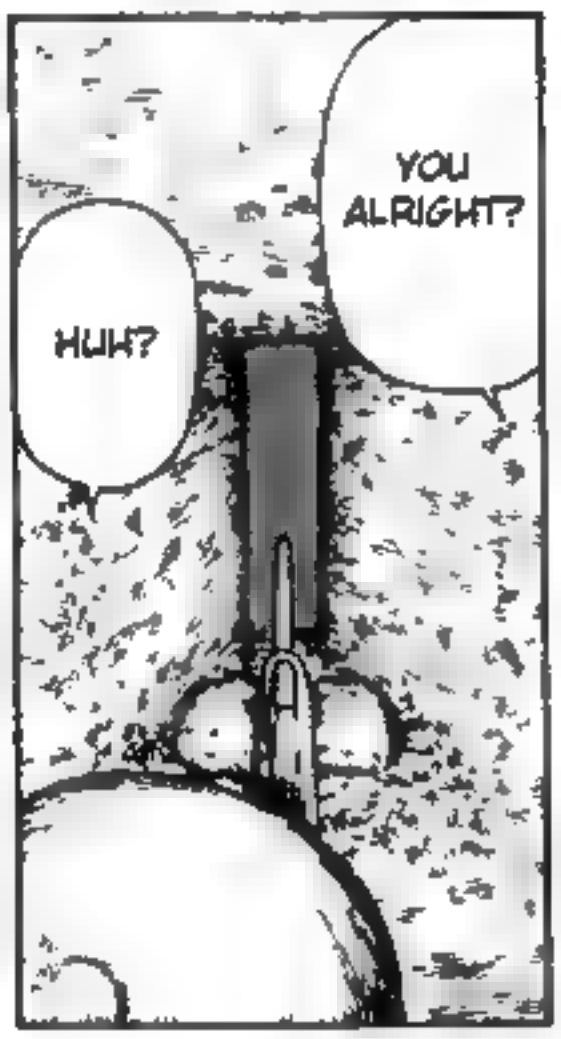
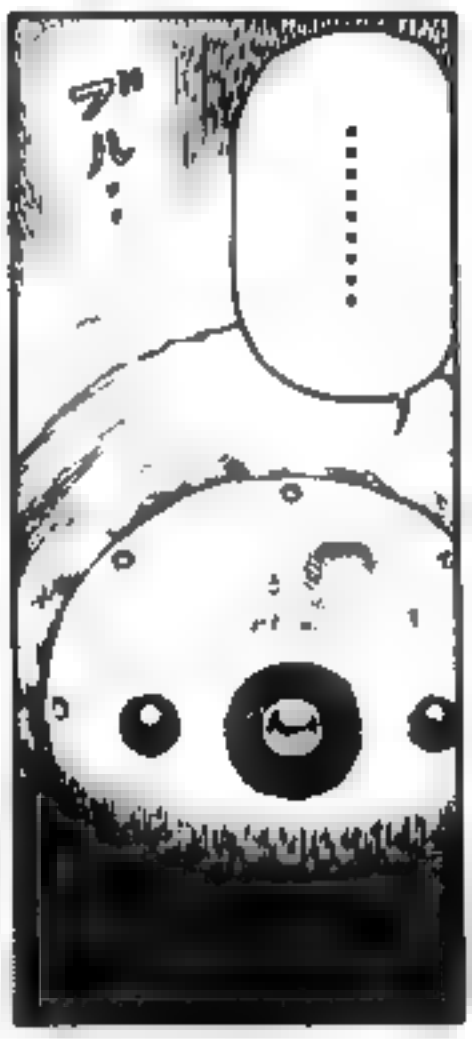
YES...

DID YOU HEAR THAT?

JUST A SLIGHT HEADACHE.
I'M ALRIGHT.
YEAH, YEAH.


HUH?
YOU ALRIGHT?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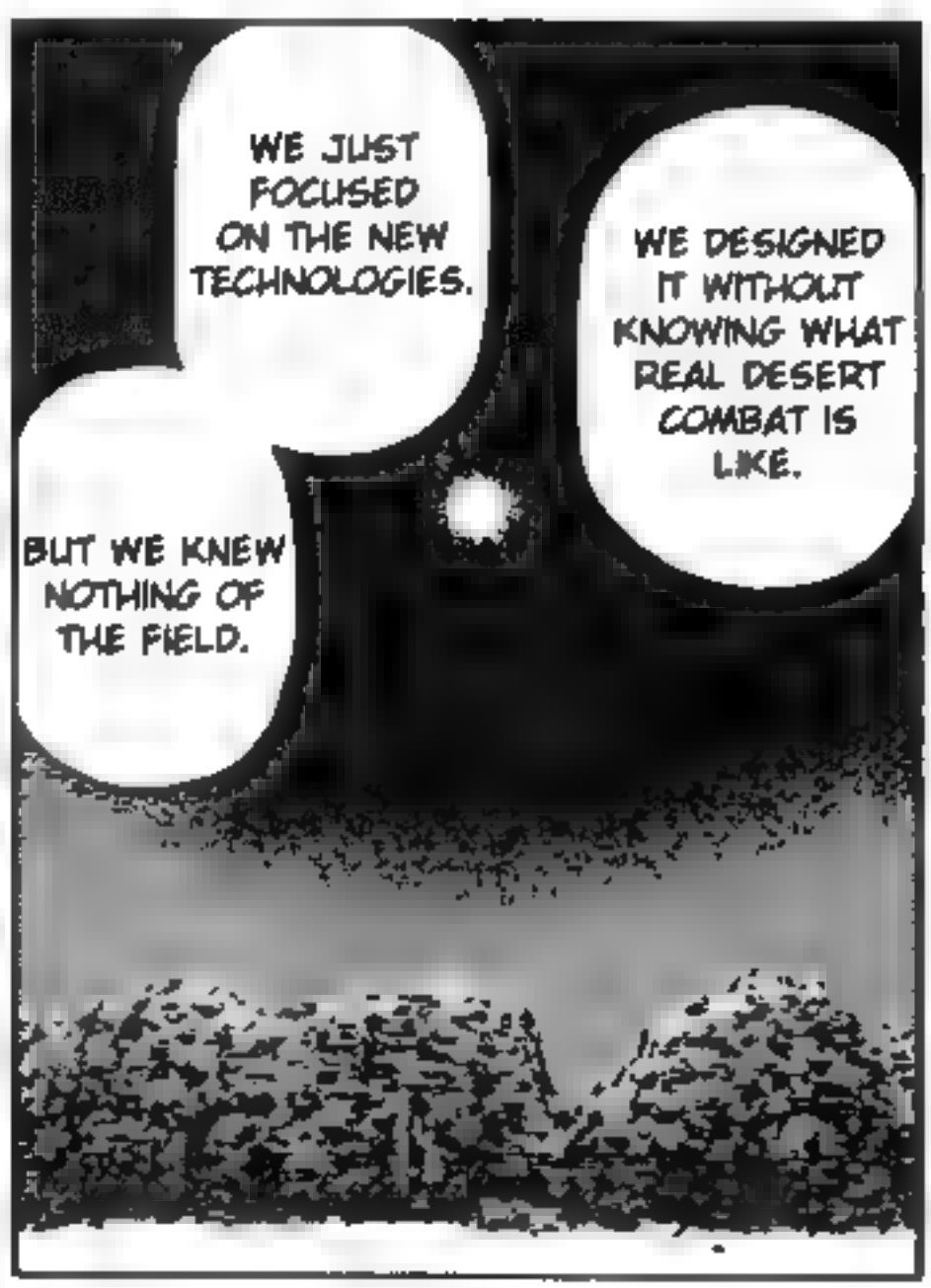
WHAT IS IT?
ER...

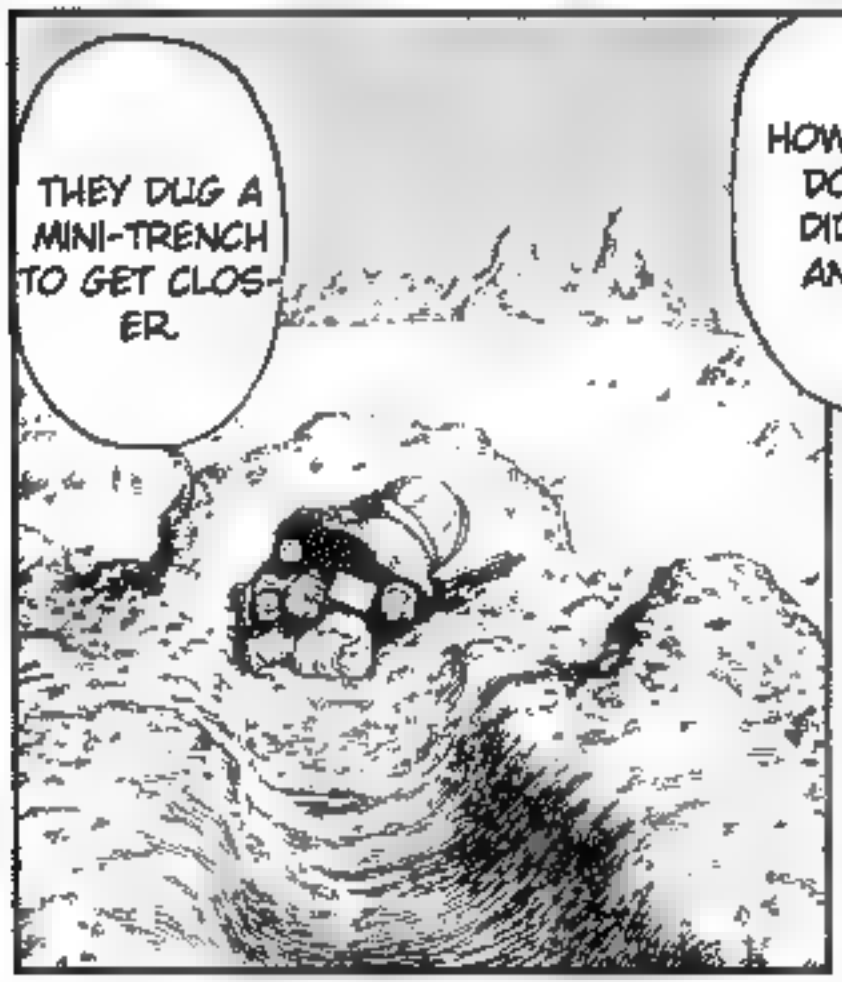
I'LL RELIEVE YOU IN AN HOUR. HANG ON.
MY EYES HURT FROM WATCHING IN THE DARK.

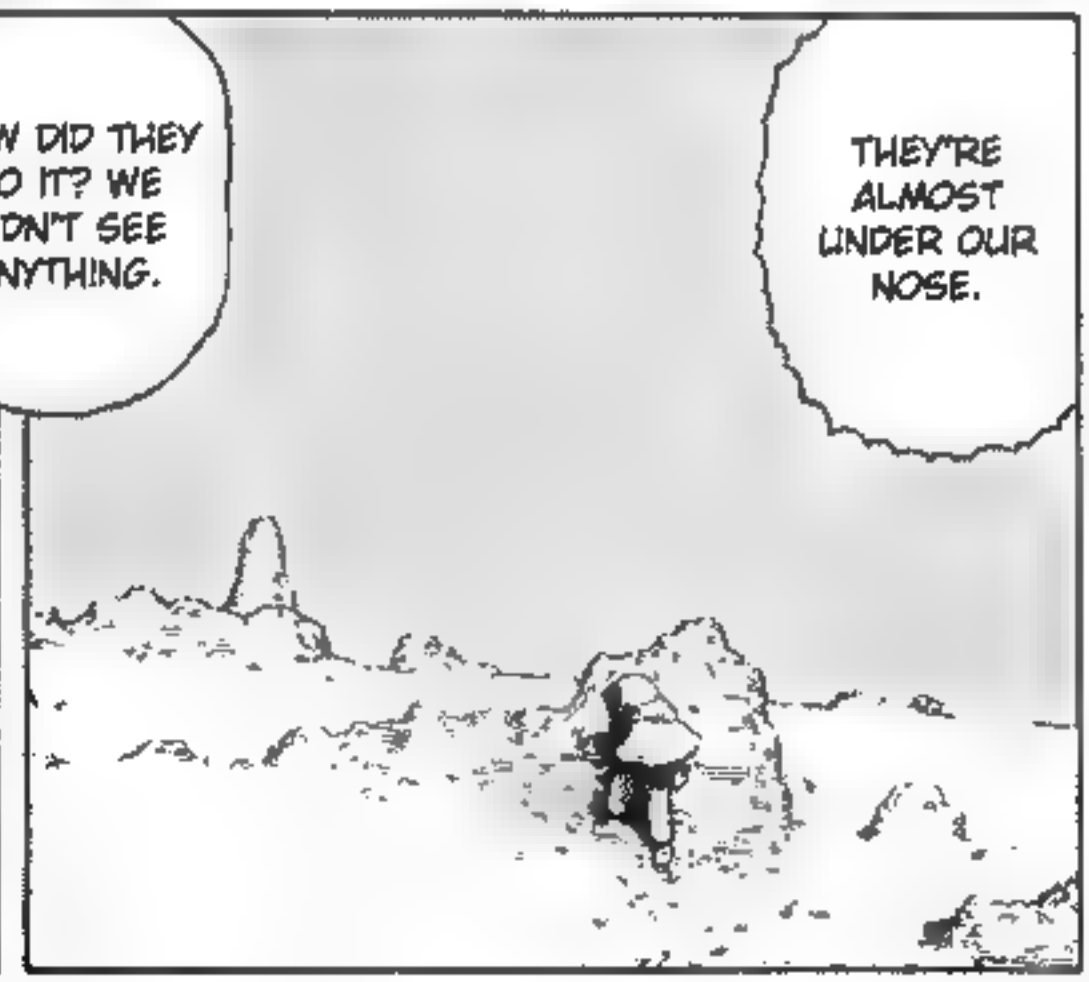
WHILE TESTING IT IN SITUATION, I NOTICED SEVERAL FLAWS.
I THINK THE "SPECIAL" CAN BE UPGRADED.

I'M ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DEATH OF SEVERAL PEOPLE.

BUT EVEN IF I CAN UPGRADE IT, I WON'T BE ABLE TO RETURN TO THE COMPANY...


WE JUST FOCUSED ON THE NEW TECHNOLOGIES.
WE DESIGNED IT WITHOUT KNOWING WHAT REAL DESERT COMBAT IS LIKE.
BUT WE KNEW NOTHING OF THE FIELD.


THEY DUG A MINI-TRENCH TO GET CLOSER.


HOW DID THEY DO IT? WE DIDN'T SEE ANYTHING.
THEY'RE ALMOST UNDER OUR NOSE.

THIS IS GONNA BE HARD

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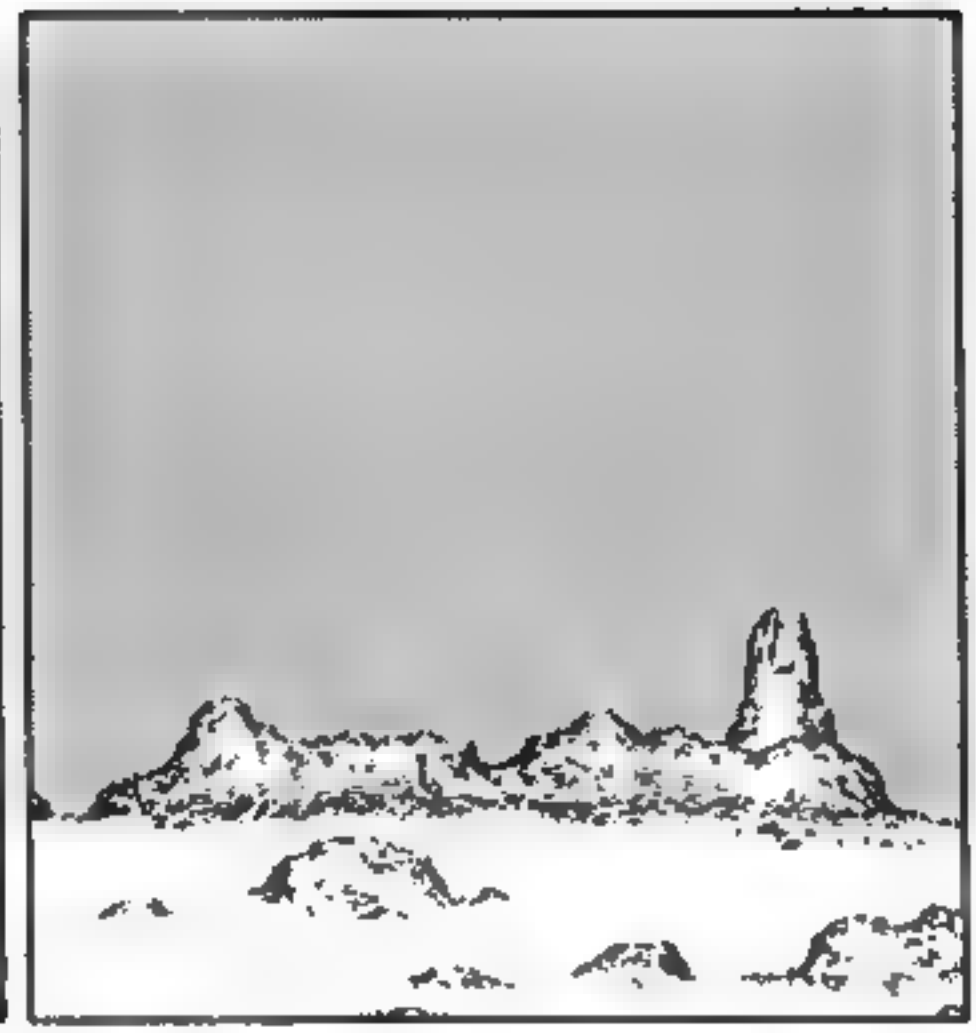
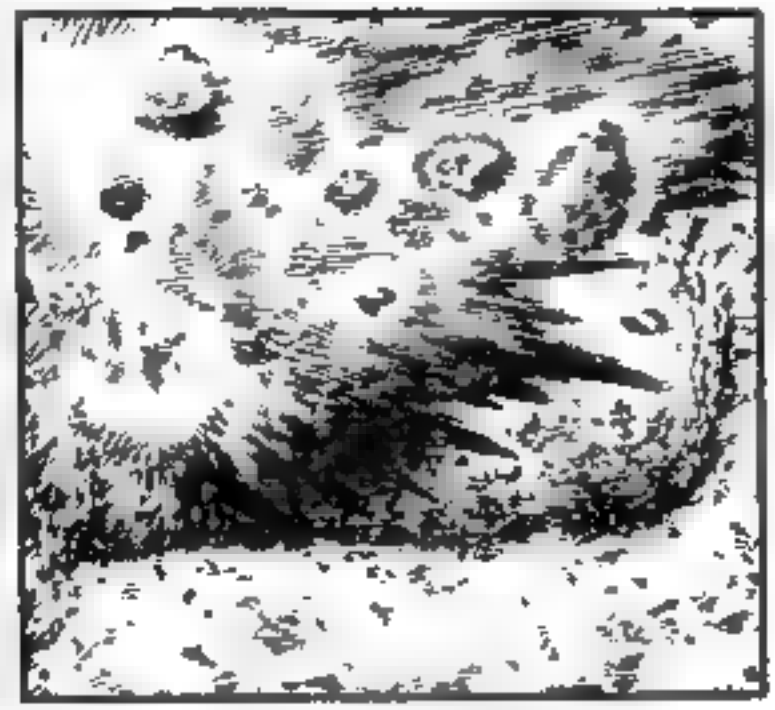
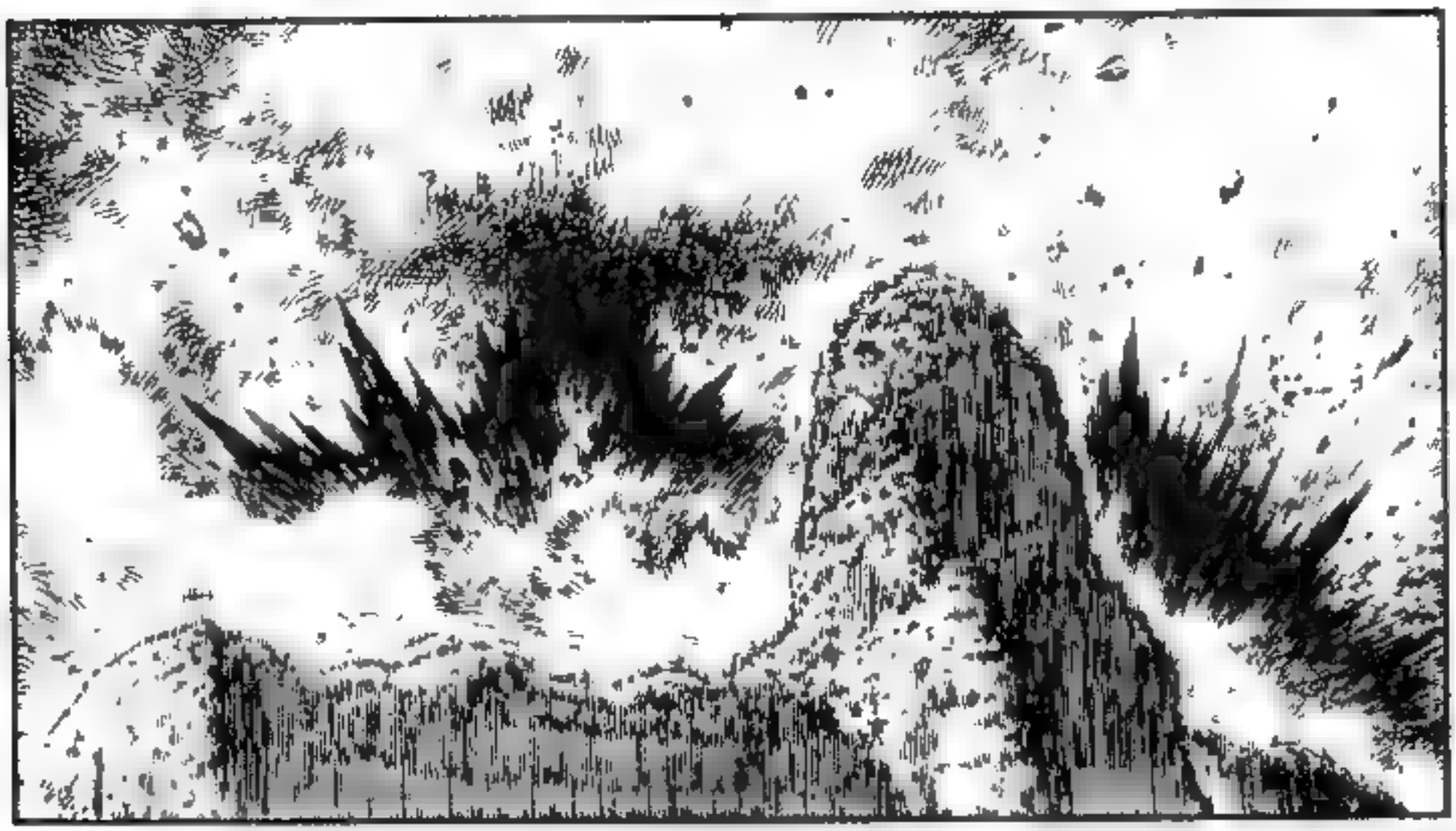
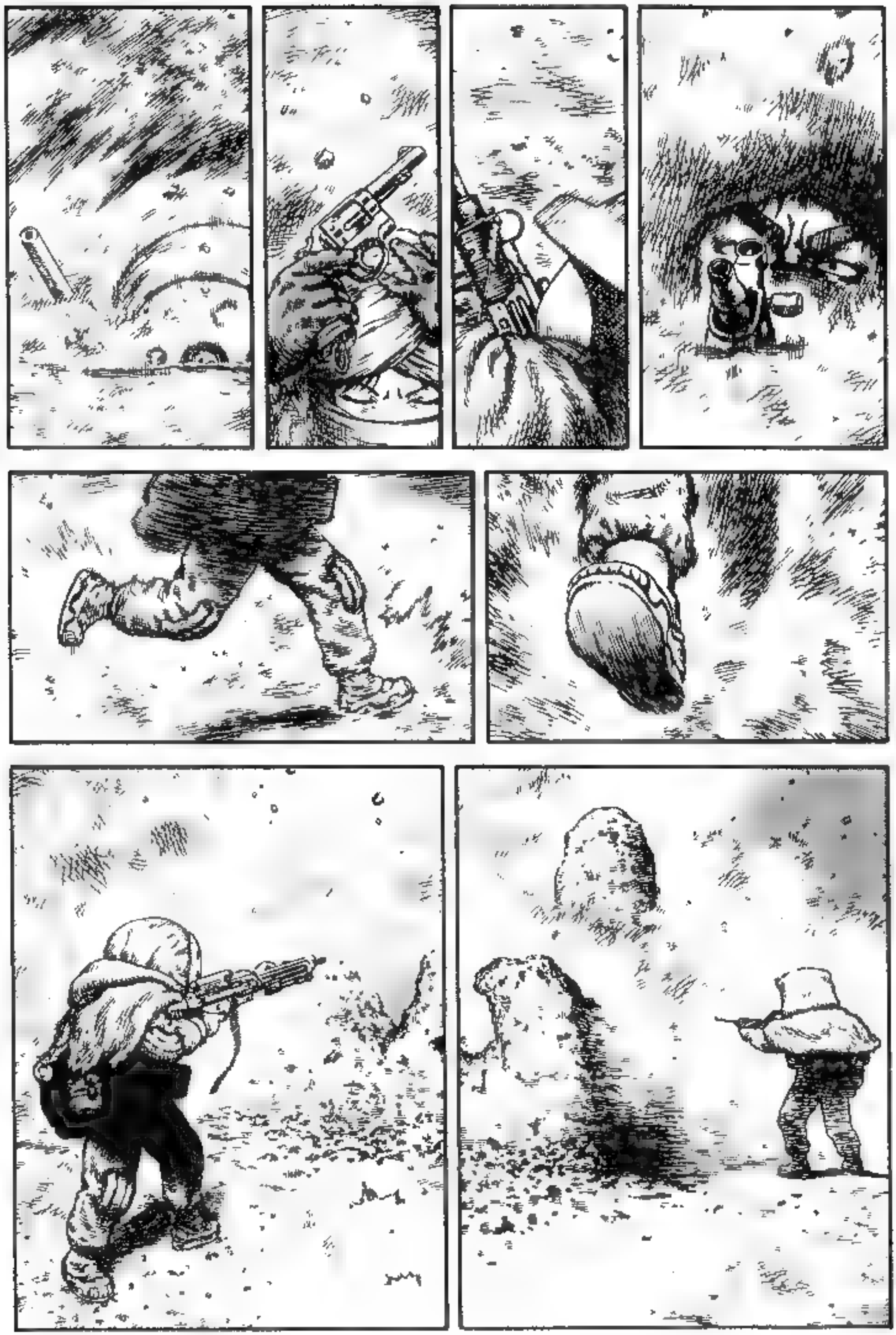
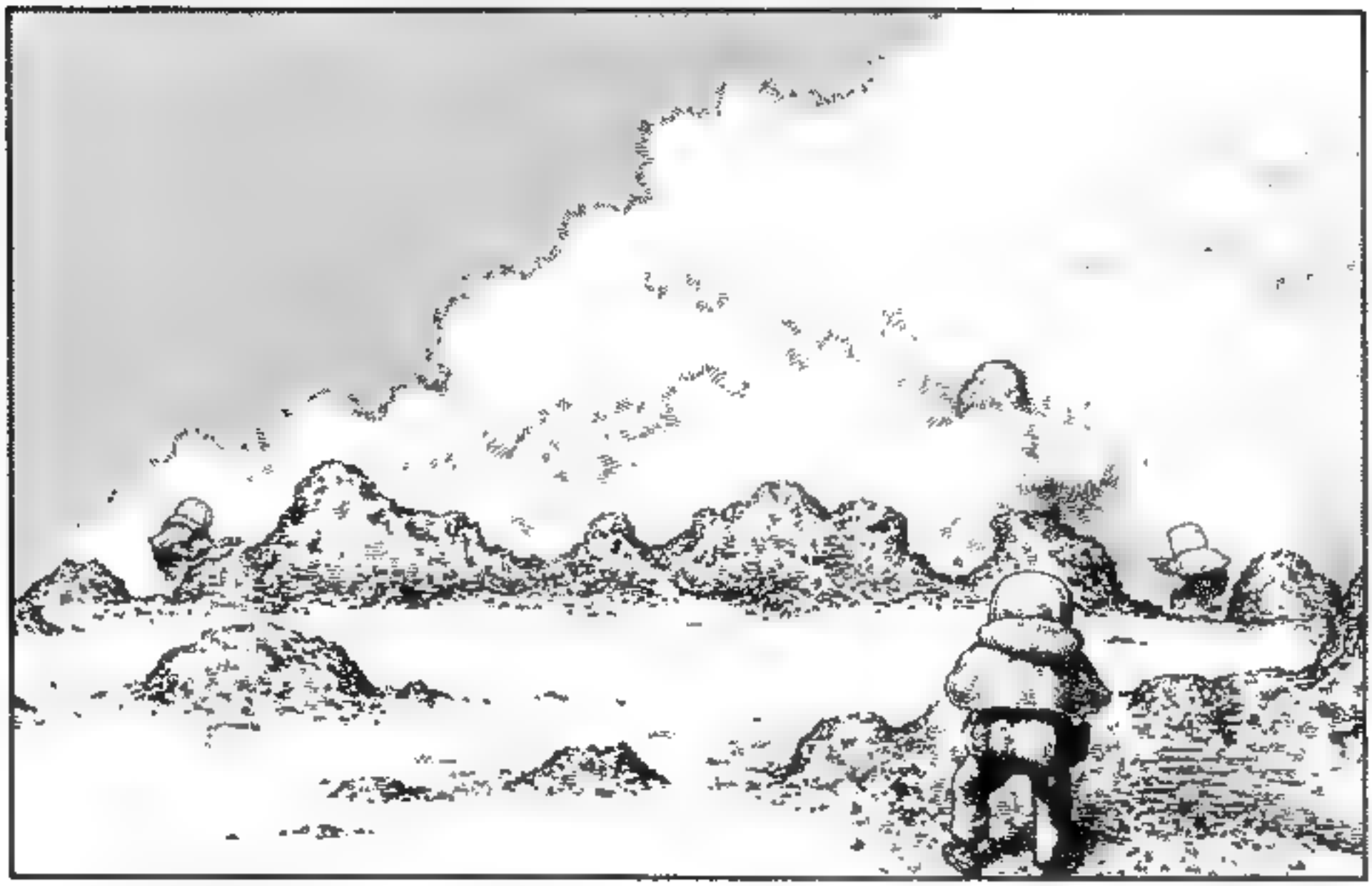
AND EVEN MORE THAN THAT...
IN JUST ONE NIGHT! THAT'S CRAZY!
THE "SPECIAL" ALLOWED THEM TO DOUBLE THEIR PACE.

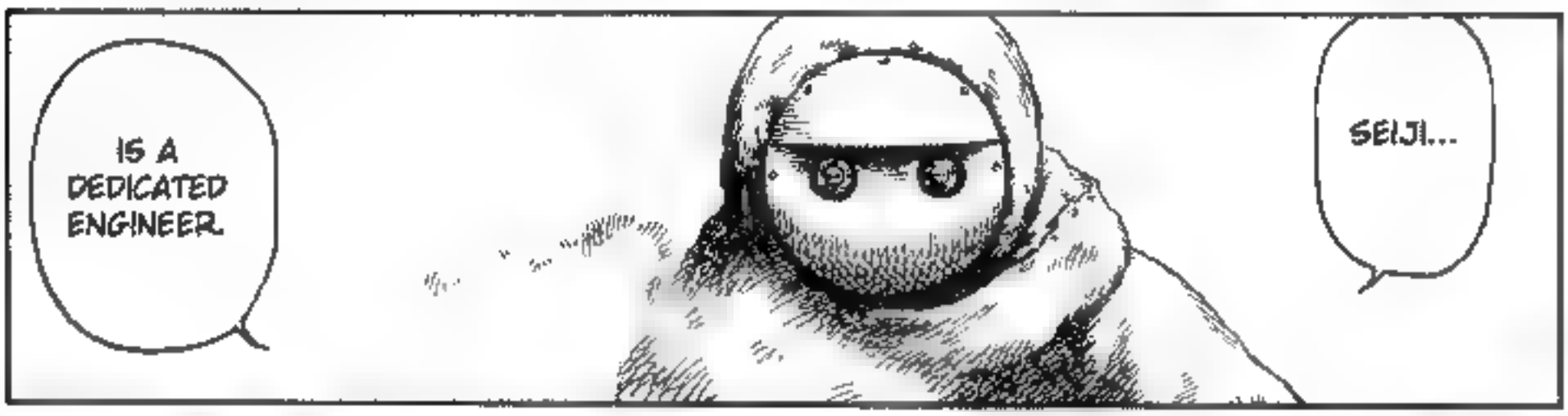




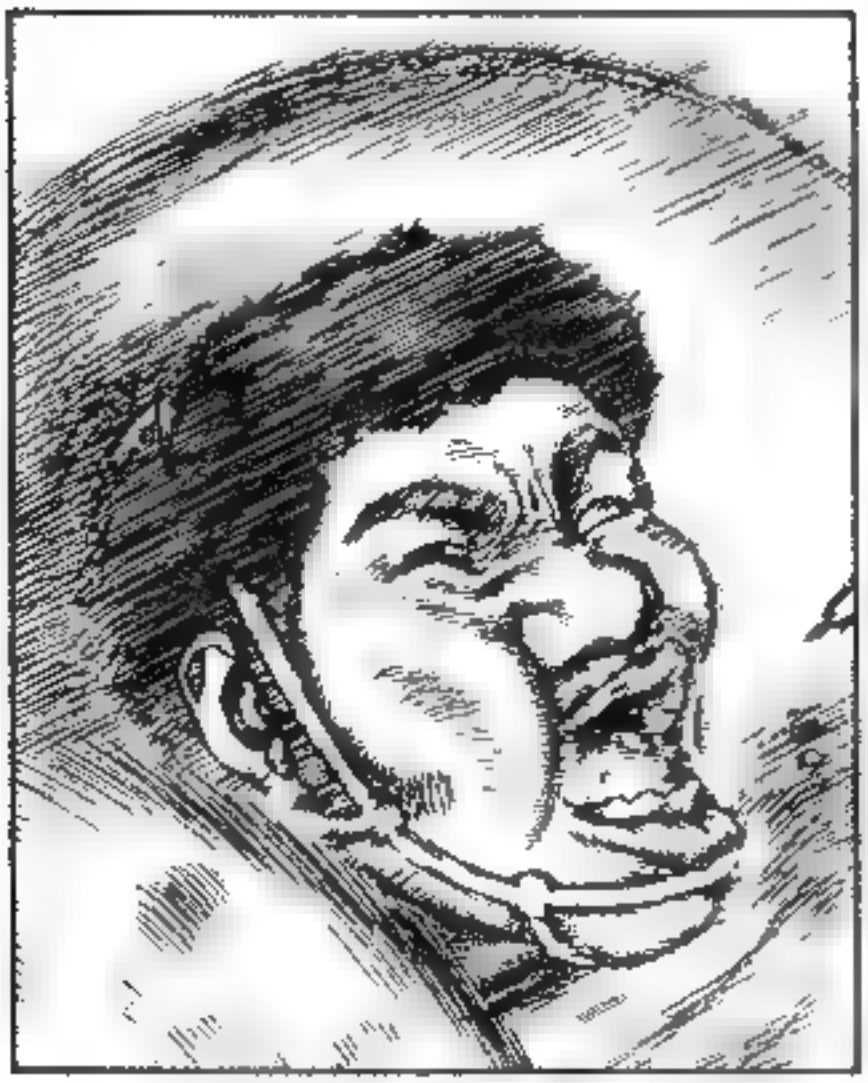







IS A DEDICATED ENGINEER.
SEIJI...

HE SHOULD'VE STAYED QUIETLY IN HIS OFFICE, DOING NOTHING.



IF WE EQUIP ALL OF THE KANTO WITH IT, THE WORLD WILL CHANGE.
I WILL FINISH THE DEVELOPMENT OF THIS SUIT, NO MATTER WHAT.

IT WILL BE A REVOLUTION IN THE DESERT.

BUT IT WAS A WONDERFUL DREAM

MY DREAM DIDN'T LAST LONG.

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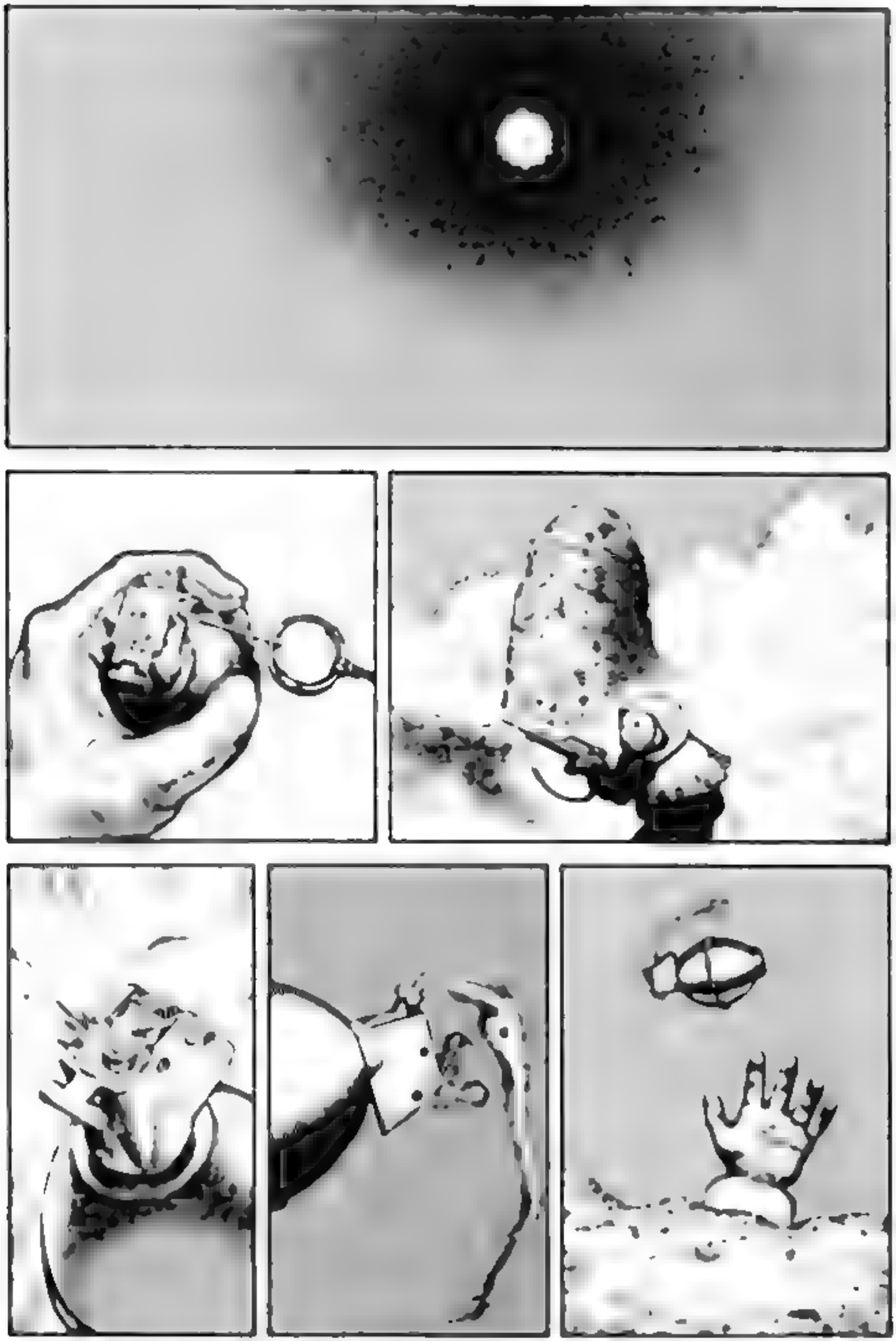
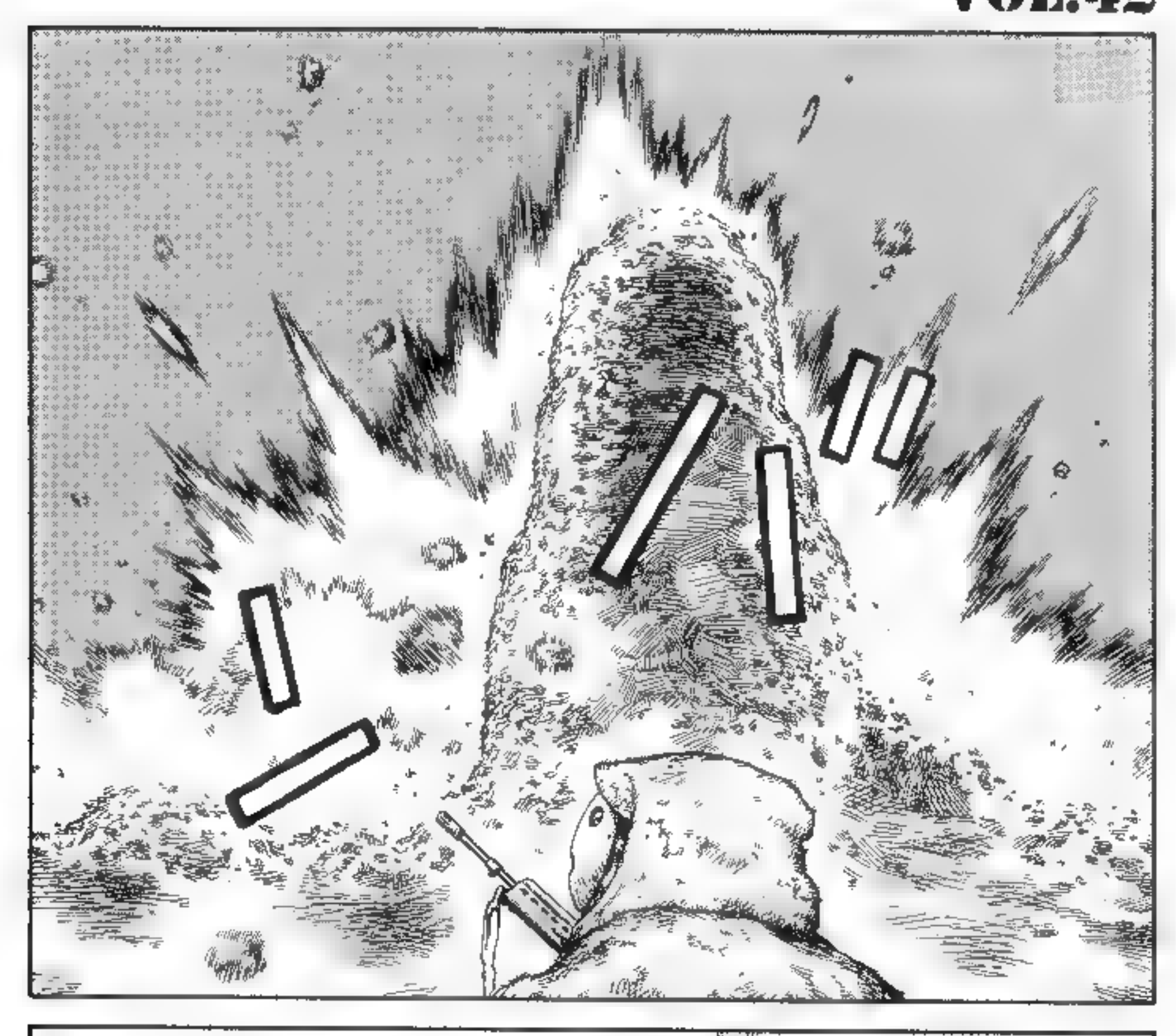
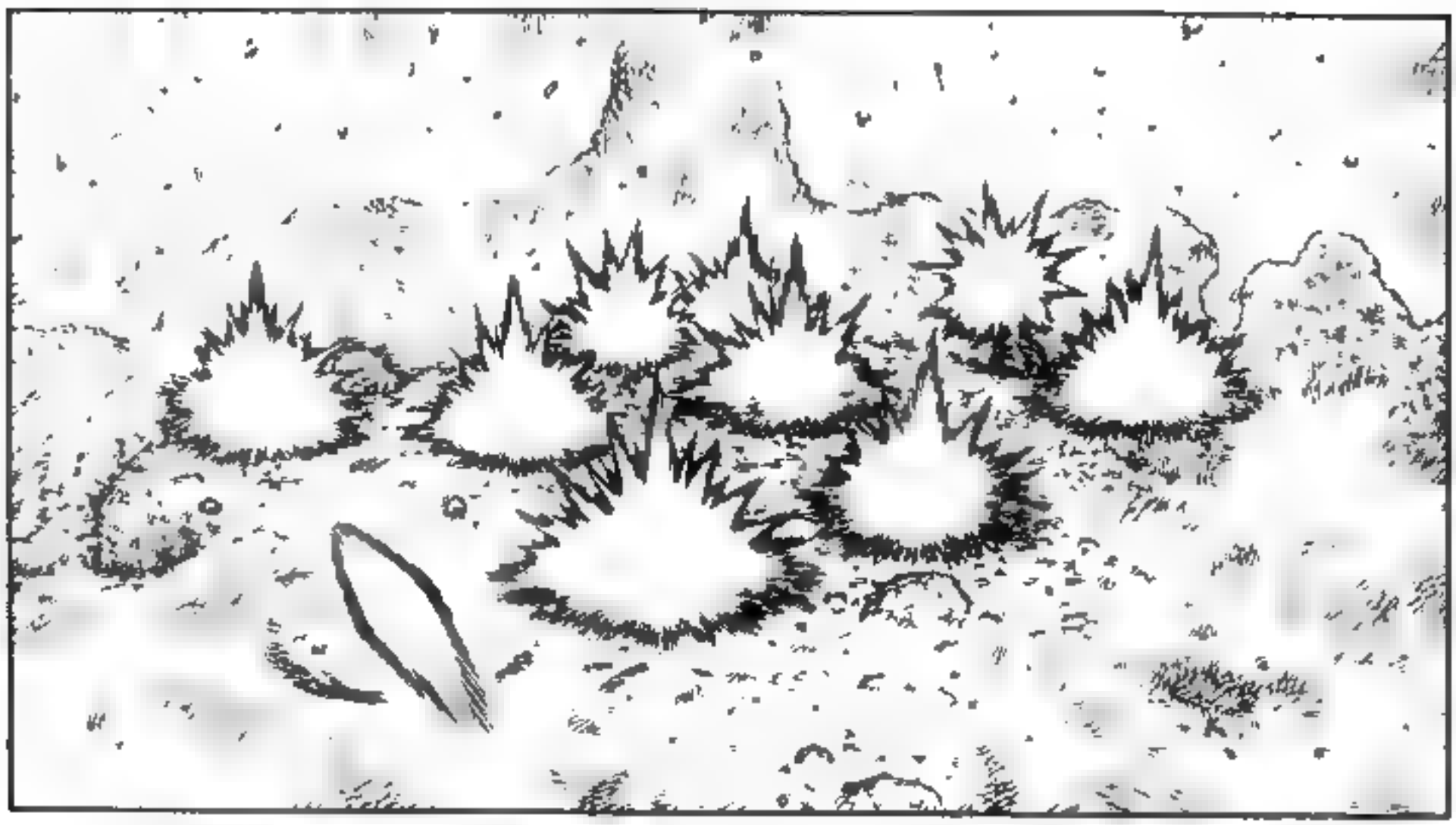
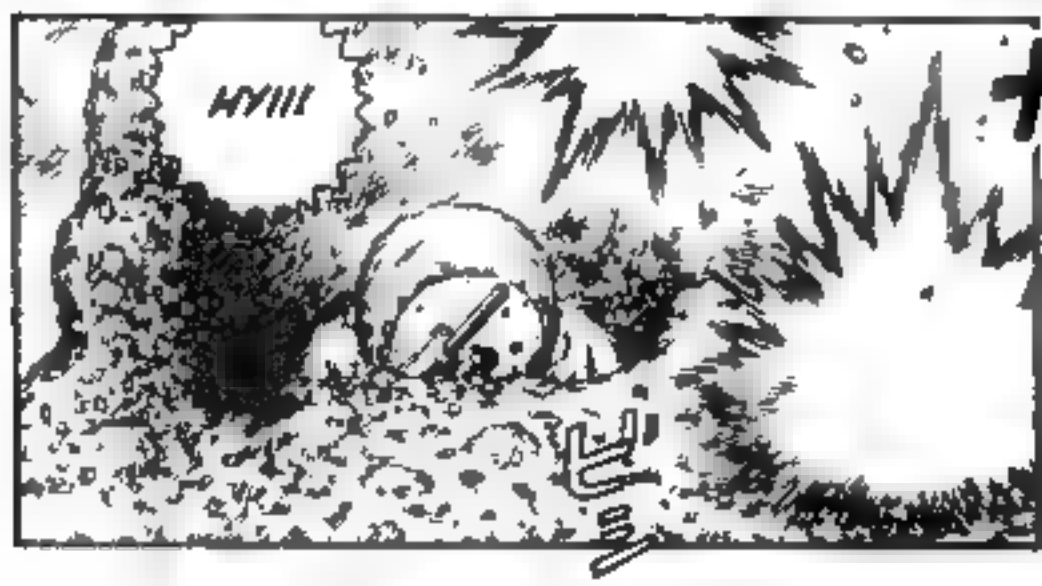






WHAT ARE OUR CHAN-CES ?
IF IF GOES LIKE THIS...

THEY'RE GOING ALL OUT!
WOW!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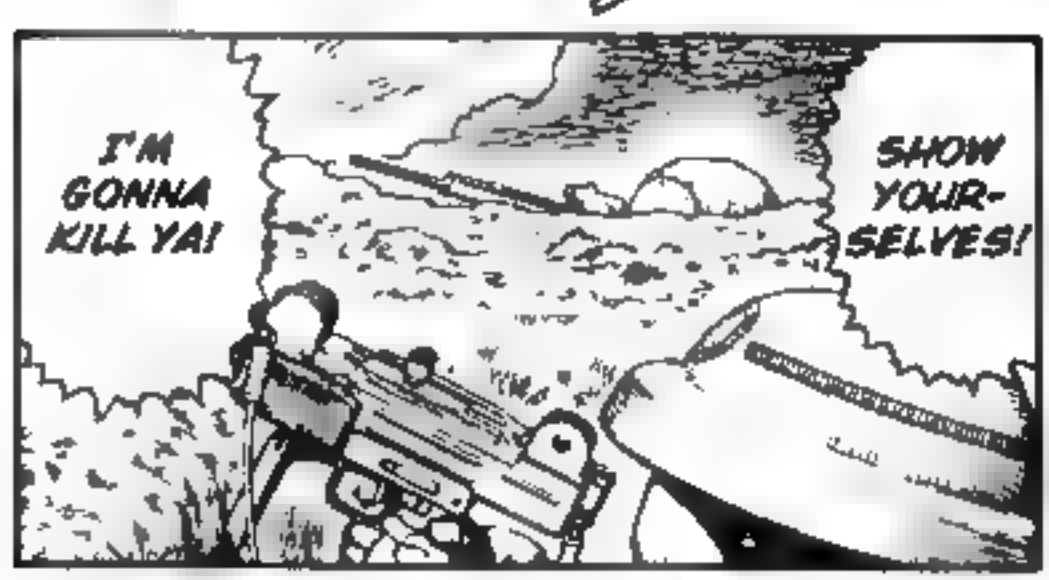
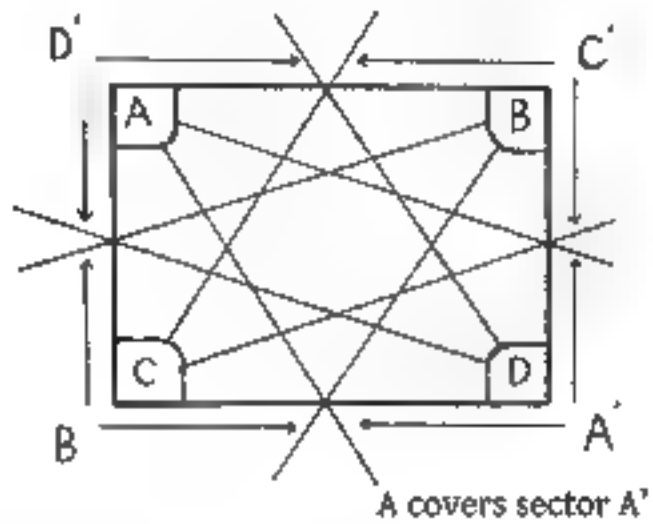

I'M GONNA KILL YA!
SHOW YOUR-SELVES!

BIIP...

The area is divided in four sectors, each person covers a sector.

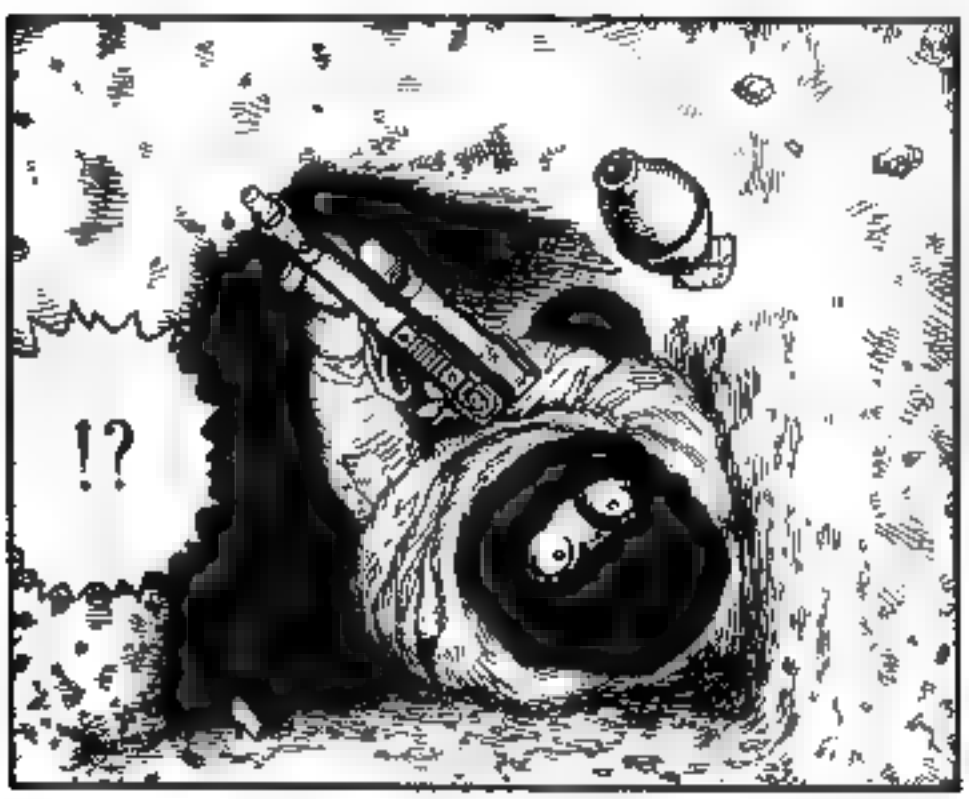


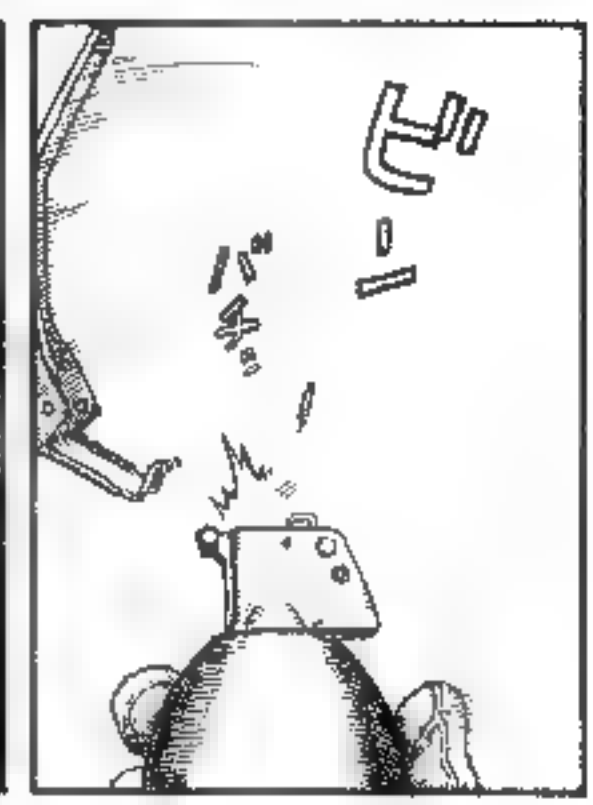
A covers sector A'

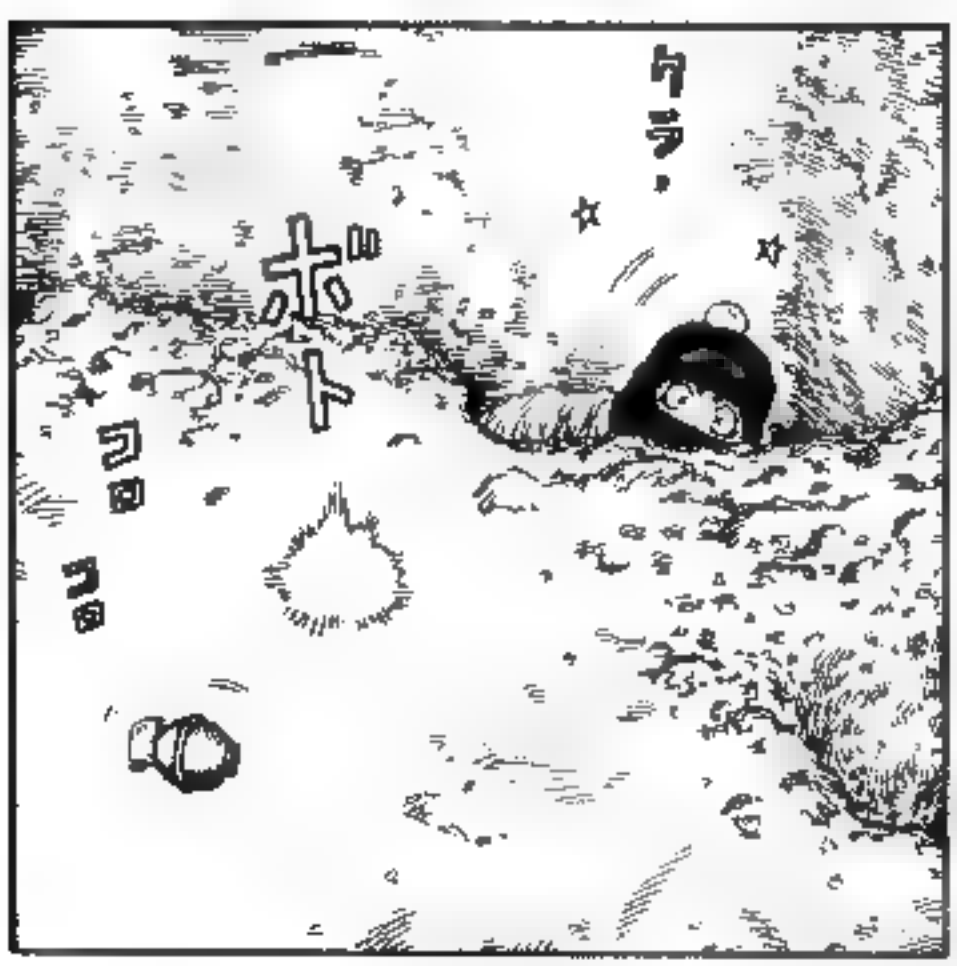
THEY'RE ON THE LOOKOUT. THEY'RE TOUGH.

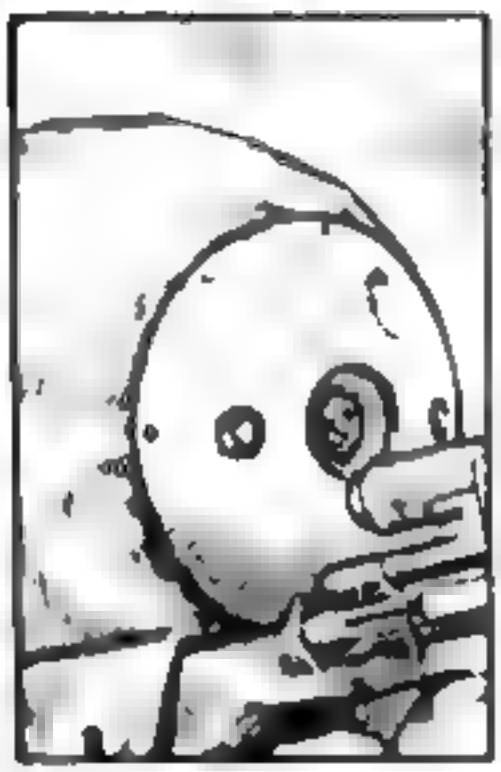
SAME HERE: NORTH AND WEST. ALL OF THEM HIDDEN IN A HOLE.

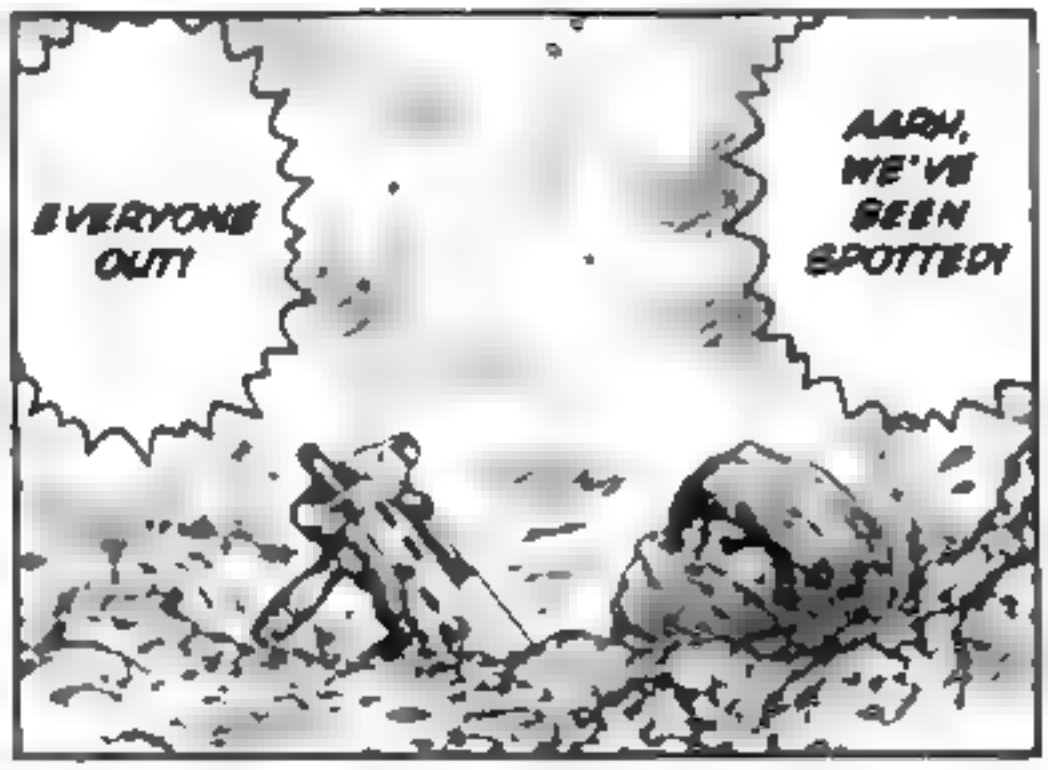
ONE OF THEM TOOK POSITION IN THE EAST, THE OTHER ONE WENT SOUTH.



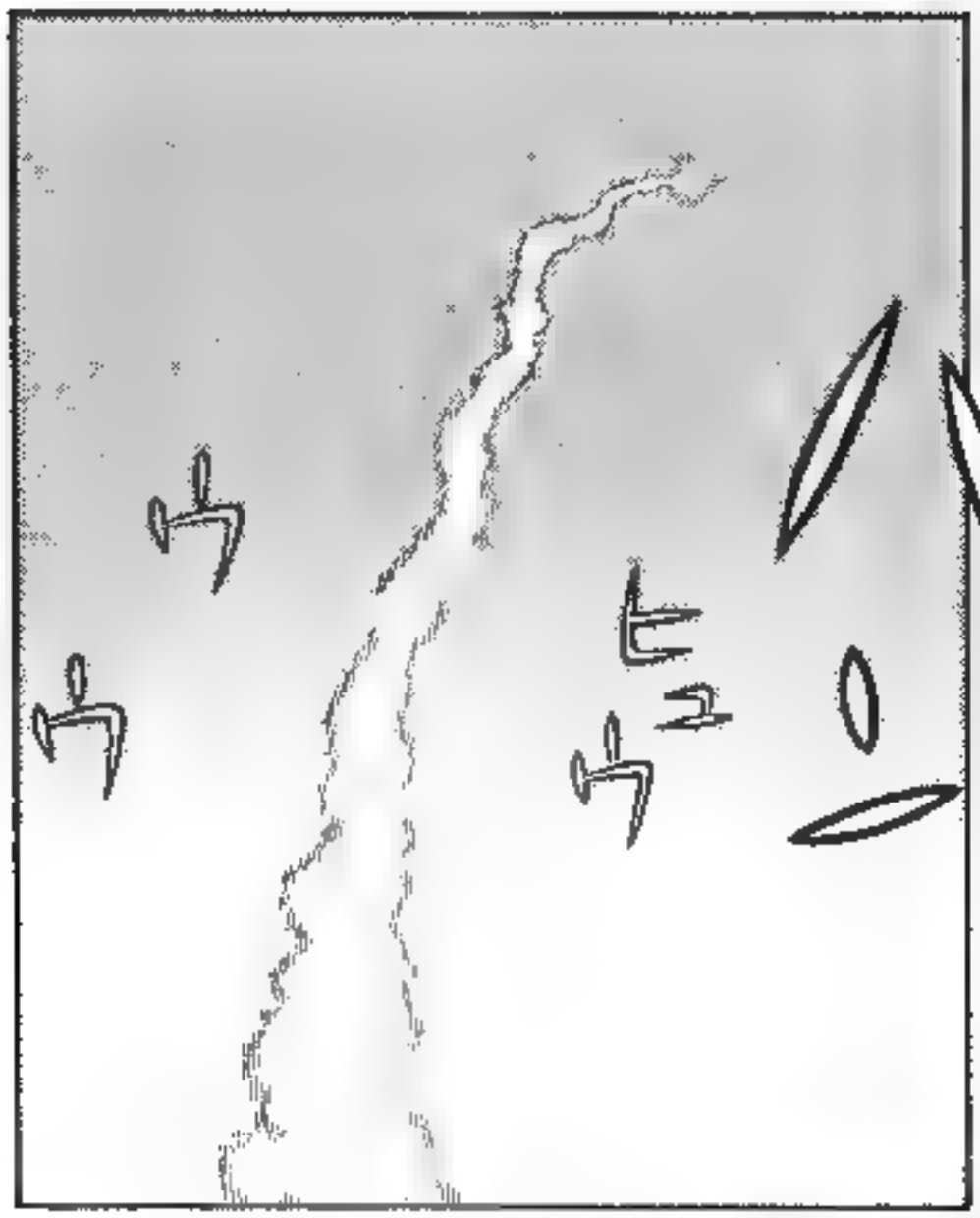


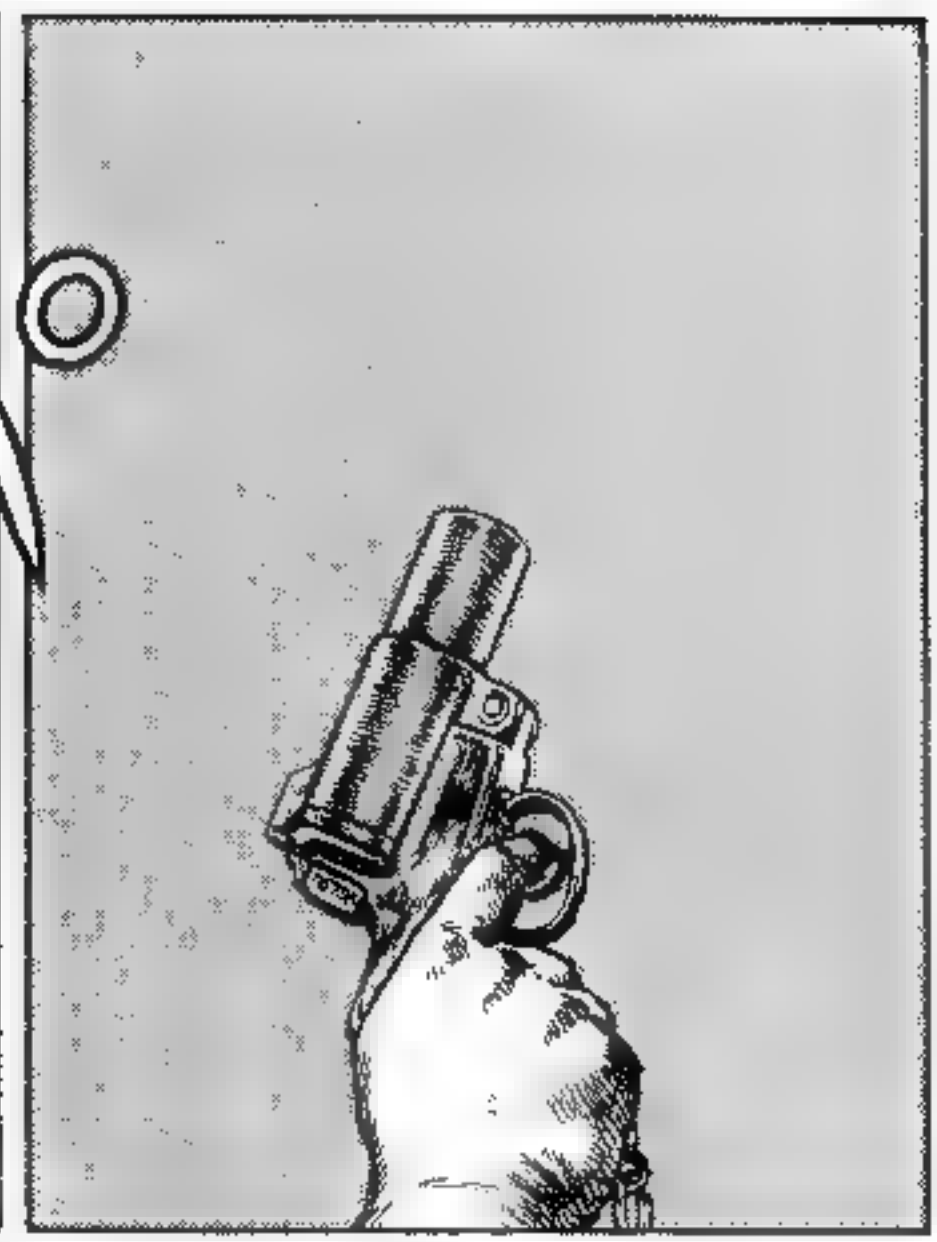


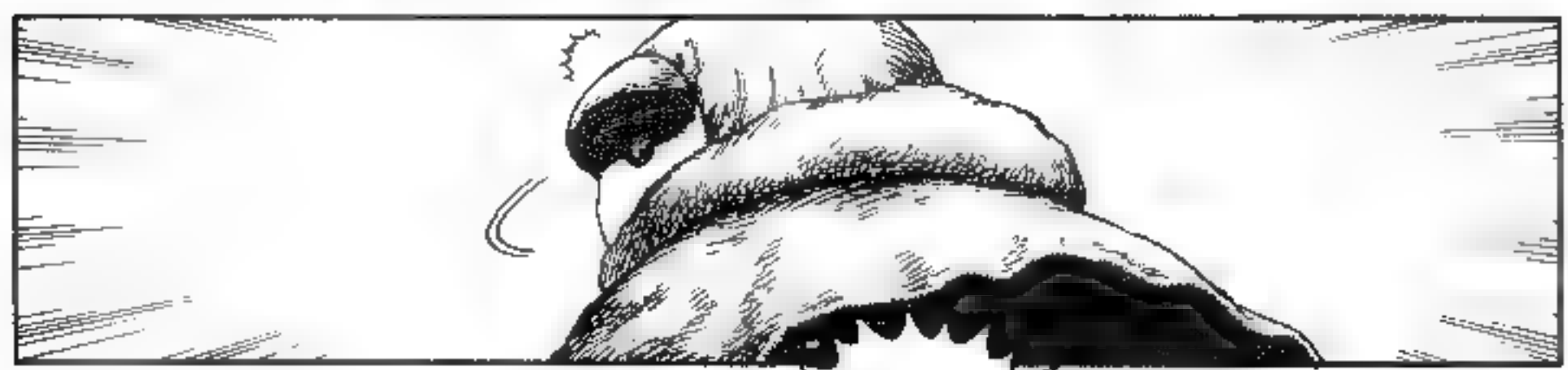


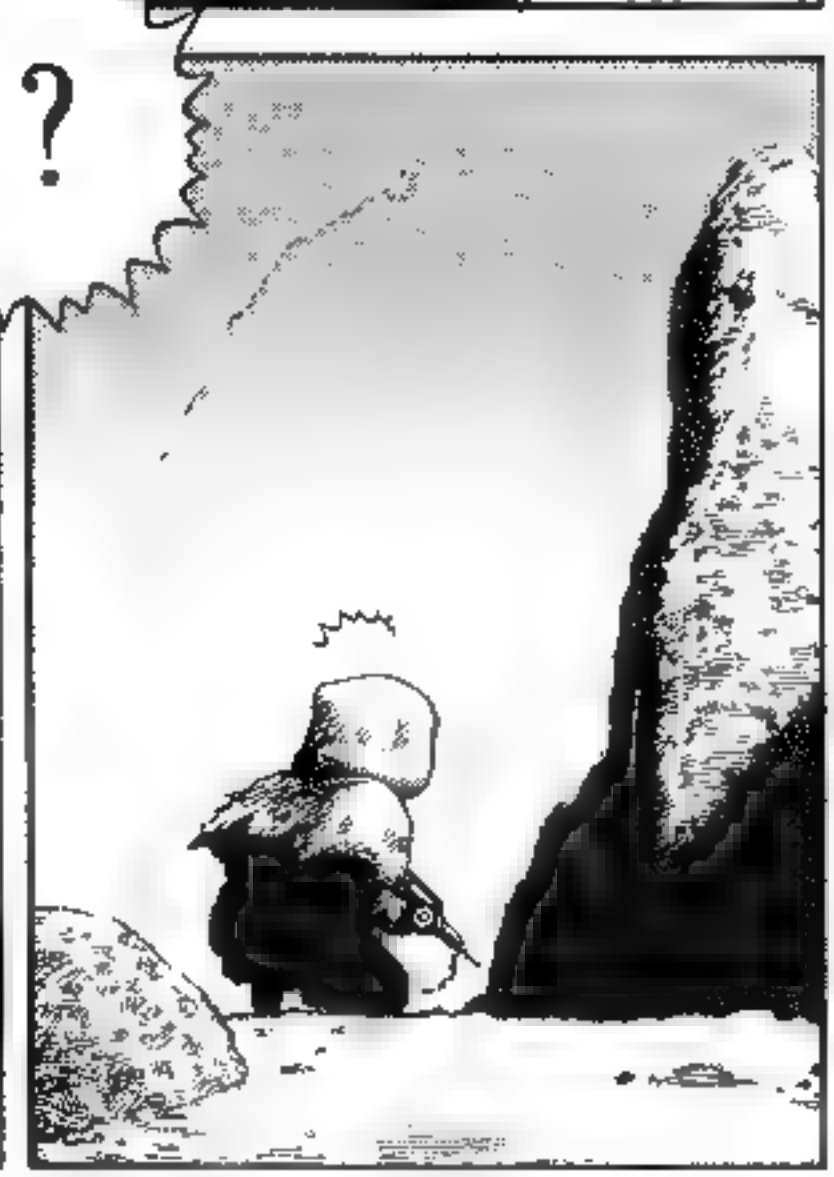

EVERYONE OUT!
AARH, WE'VE BEEN SPOTTED!

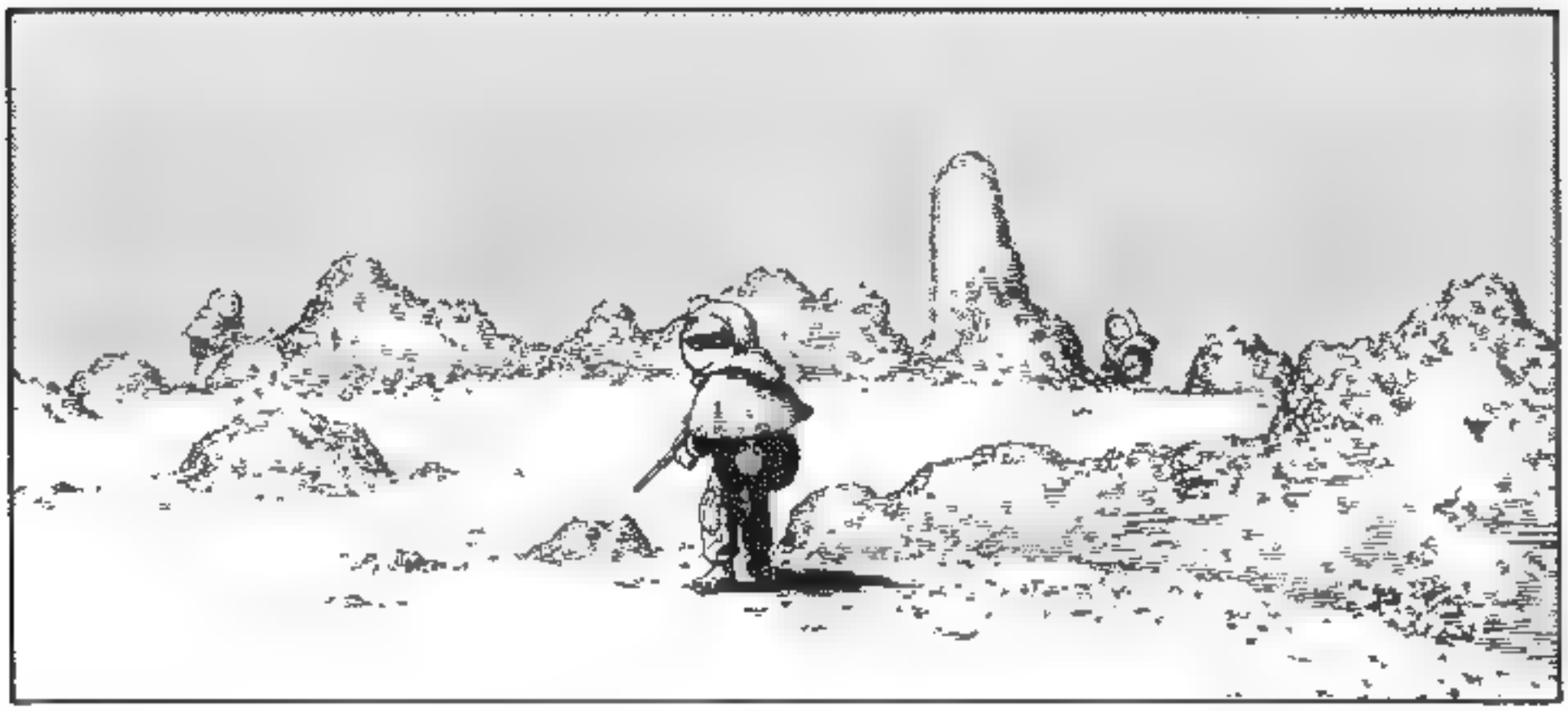
ALREADY ARE.
WELL, WE...

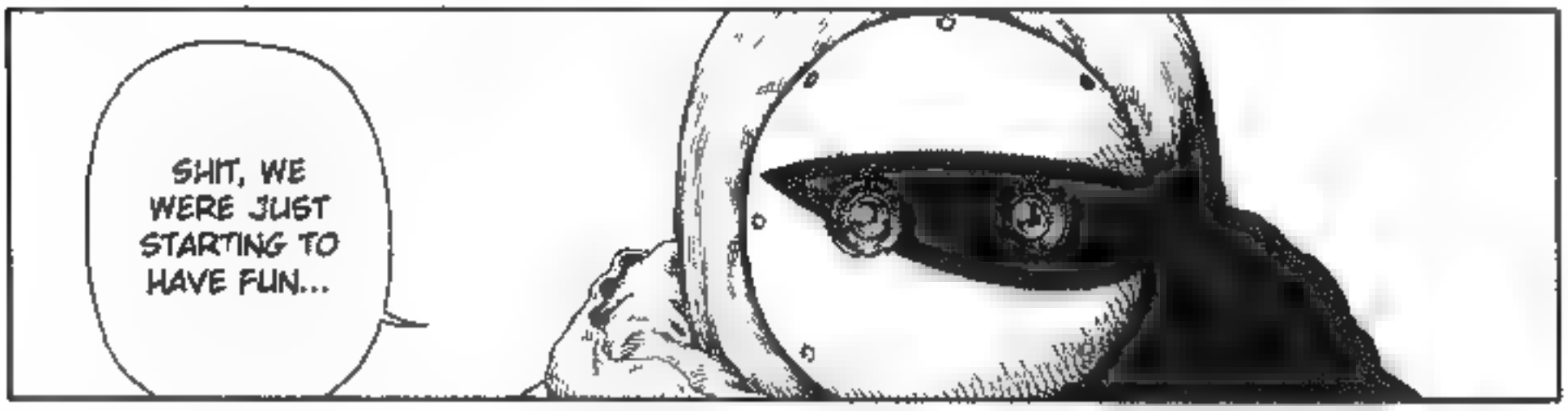


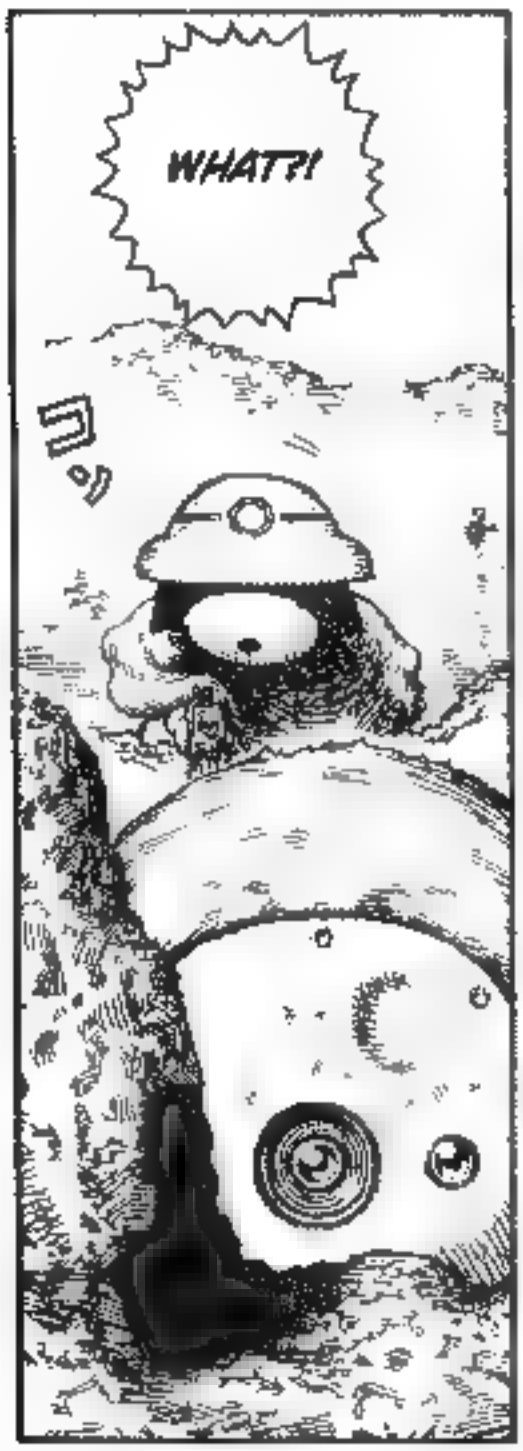




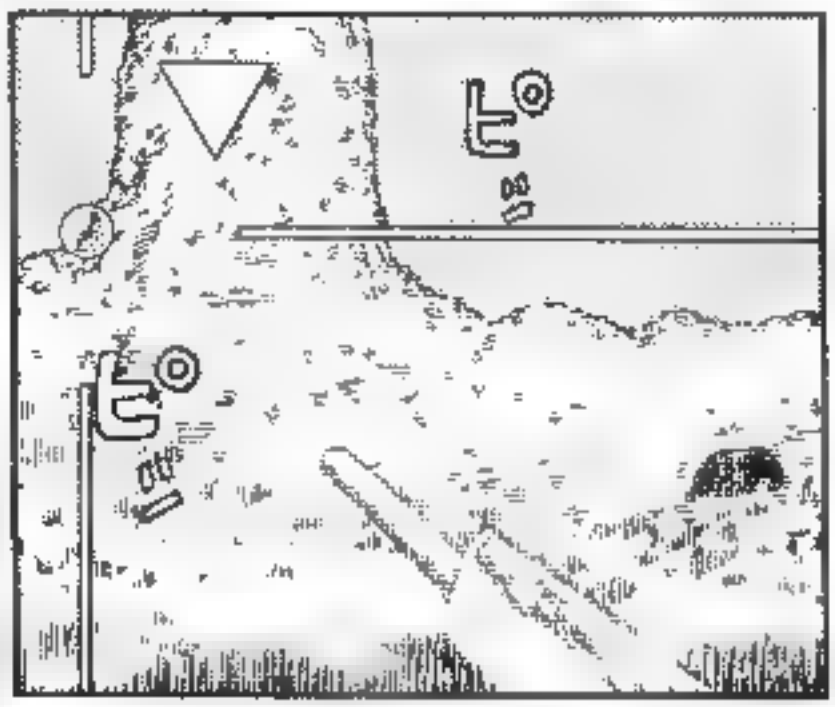


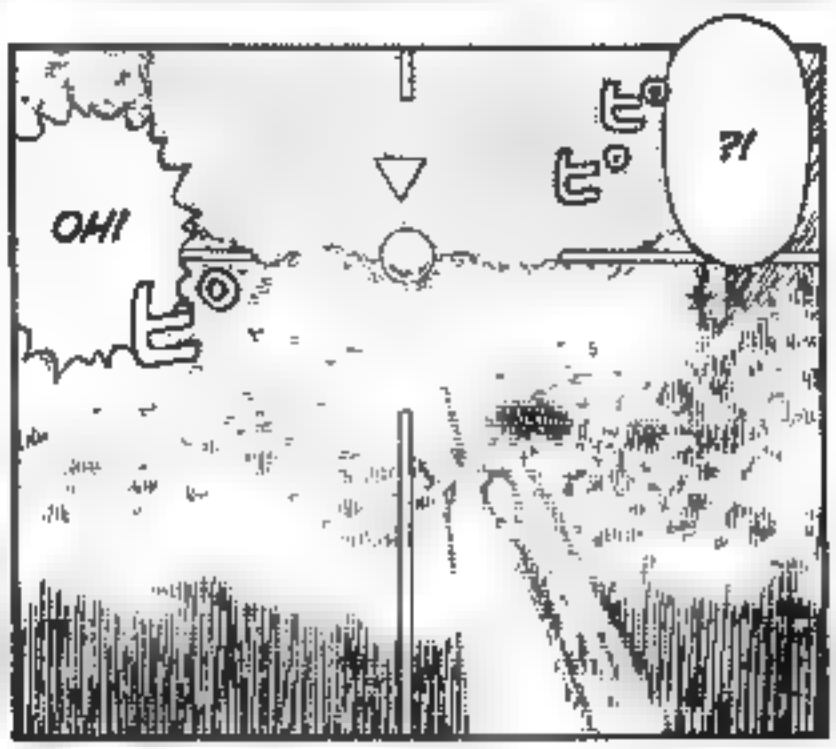



SHIT, WE WERE JUST STARTING TO HAVE FUN...


WHAT?!

THEY'RE GOING AWAY.
WE DON'T KNOW WHAT CAN HAPPEN NEXT
HEY, BE CARE-FUL!

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IT'S THE ARMY.

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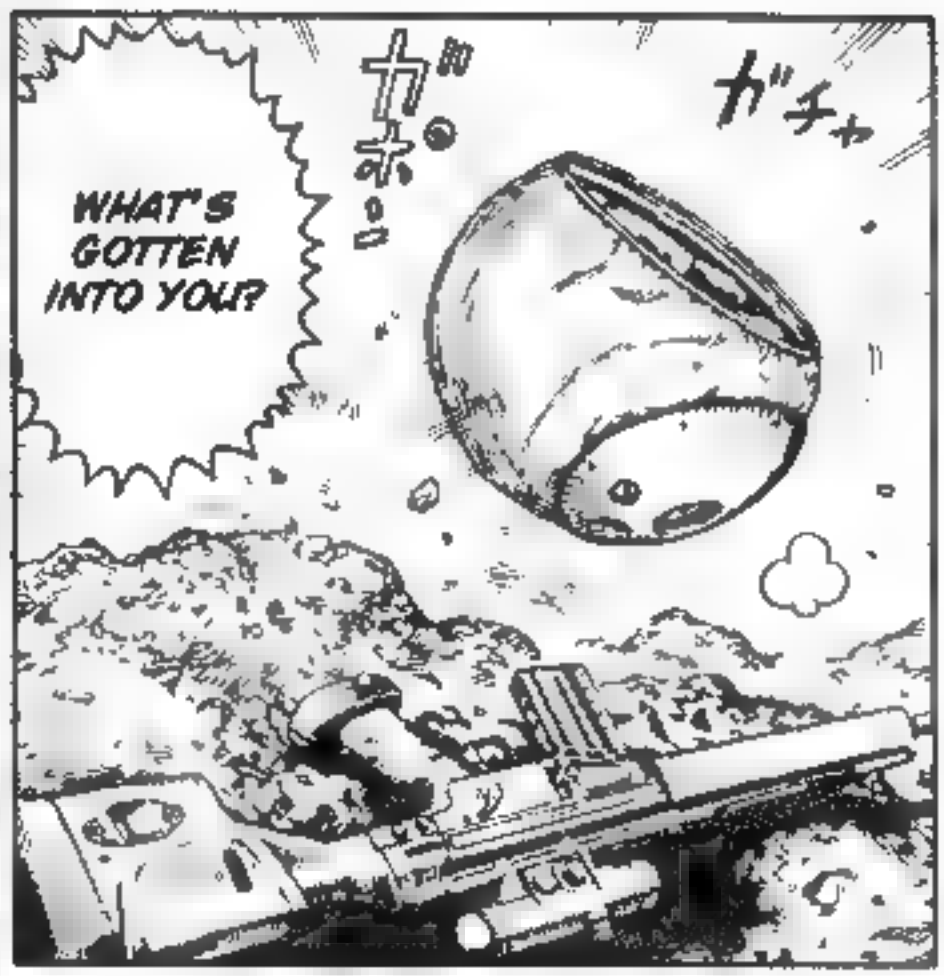
WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO YOU?
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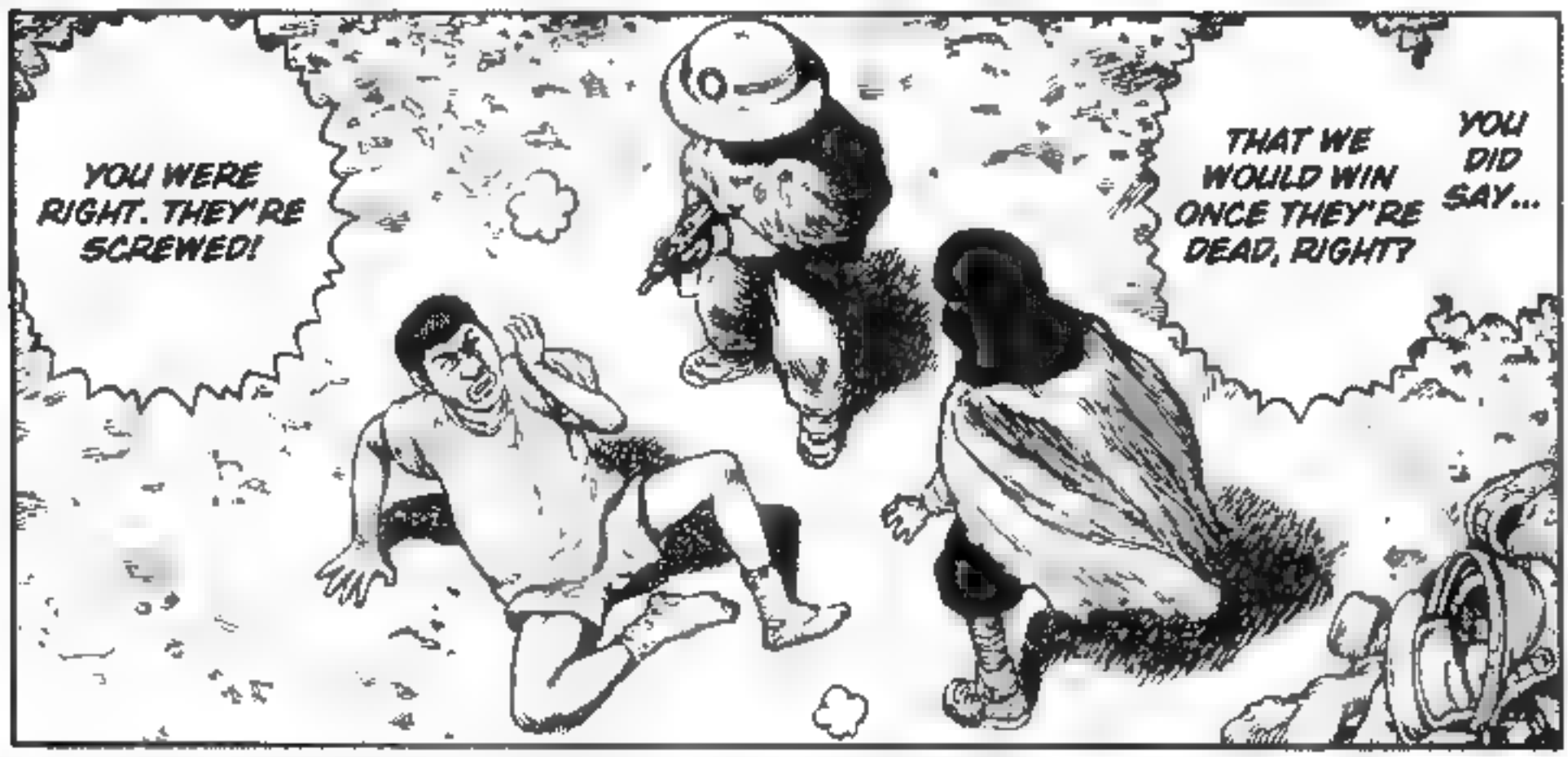
YOU WERE RIGHT. THEY'RE SCREWED!
THAT WE WOULD WIN ONCE THEY'RE DEAD, RIGHT?
YOU DID SAY...

KHH...

I won against you too

SHIT!

THAT'S OBVIOUS, AGAINST AN ARMORED VEHICLE.
HEHEHE! EVEN THE "SPECIAL" CAN'T COMPETE AGAINST THIS.

HEY, COULD IT BE THAT YOU CALLED THEM IN?

BUT IF IT CONCERNS NEW TECHNOLOGIES, THEY SEND THE CAVALRY RIGHT AWAY.
THE GOVERNMENT WOULDN'T MOVE LITTLE FINGER FOR MERE BANDITS.

THEY REALLY CAME QUICKLY.
NONETHELESS, IT WENT FASTER THAN I THOUGHT.

BUT ONLY THOSE WHO WORK WITH THE AUTHORITIES KNOW ABOUT IT.

A DIRECT LINE TO THE GOVERNMENT WAS DISCRETLY INSTALLED ON SITE.

If you ask by radio, they do nothing.

AFTER EXPLOITING THEM TO THE BONE, THE DIGS WERE ABANDONNED.

UNTIL LAST YEAR, THE GOVERNMENT WAS MANAGING SOME RUINS NOT FAR FROM HERE.

PATCH ME THROUGH TO INSPECTOR DONOMURA AT THE STATION IN CHARGE OF THE THIRD DISTRICT.

MUGENYA 32.

YOUR NUMBER!

THE SMELL OF BLOOD.

SUNABO-ZU...

The Password

HELLO! HELLO!

YOU'RE ON THE GOVERNMENT'S PAYROLL !

HE SNITCHED!

THE ONLY SOLUTION WAS TO BRING THE COMPANY DOWN.

THINK ABOUT IT.
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WE'RE DEALING WITH A BIG COMPANY.
EVEN IF WE MANAGED TO TAKE THESE GUYS DOWN, MORE WOULD'VE COME AND THEY WOULD'VE KILLED US.

YOU CAN SAY WHATEVER YOU WANT.
SO WHAT?
ON THE GOVERNMENT'S PAYROLL?

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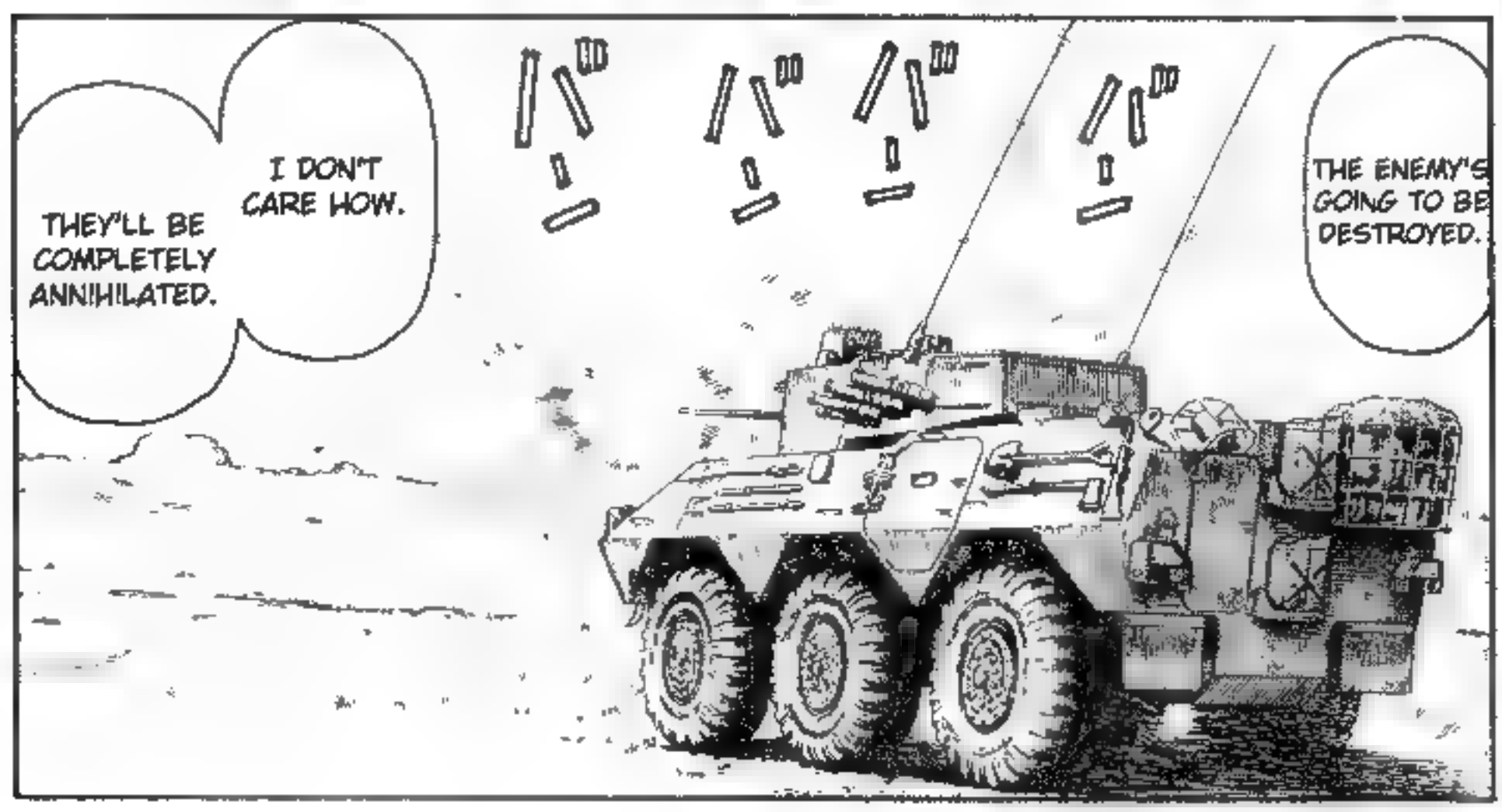
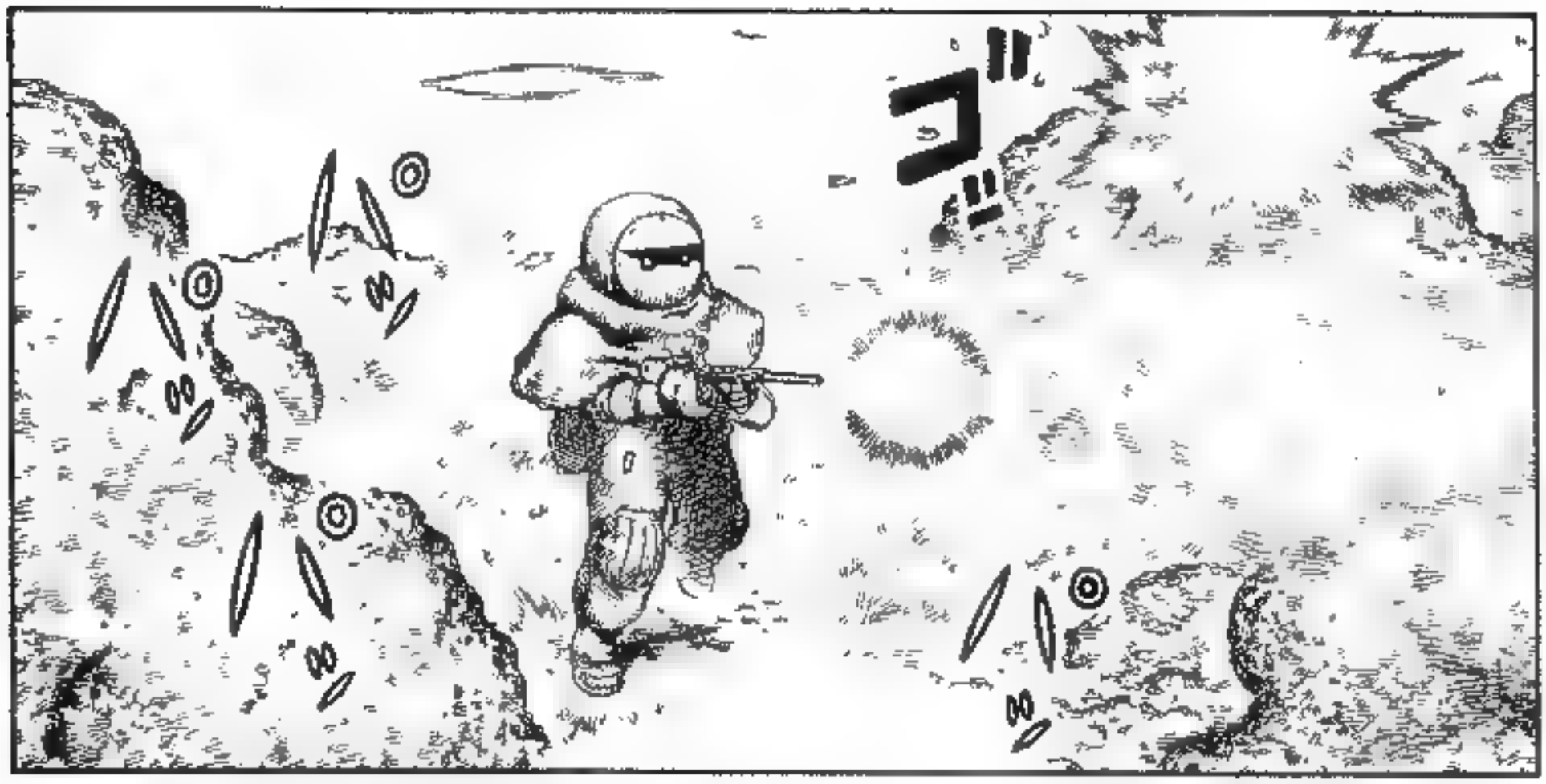
DOWN!?
BRING THE COMPANY...


THEY'LL BE COMPLETELY ANNIHILATED.
I DON'T CARE HOW.
THE ENEMY'S GOING TO BE DESTROYED.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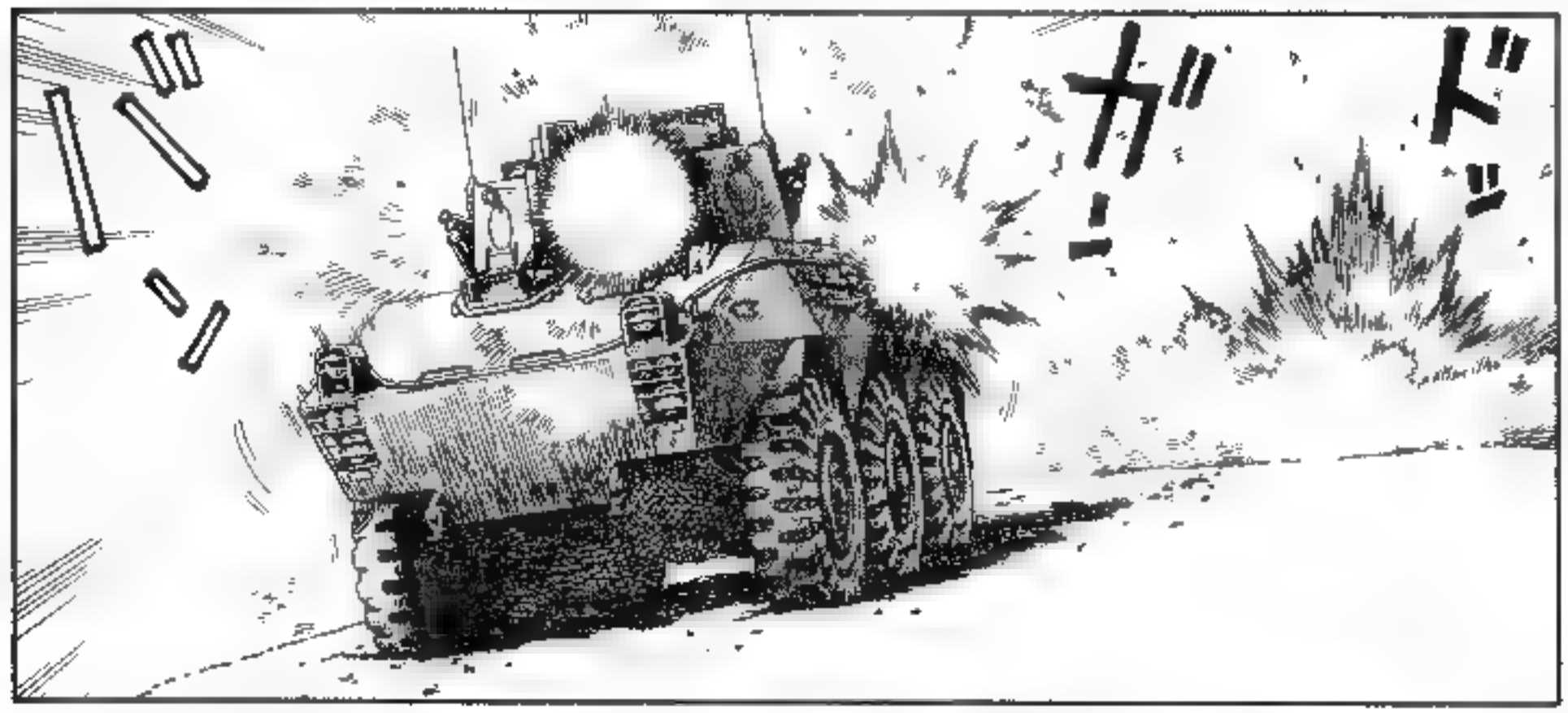
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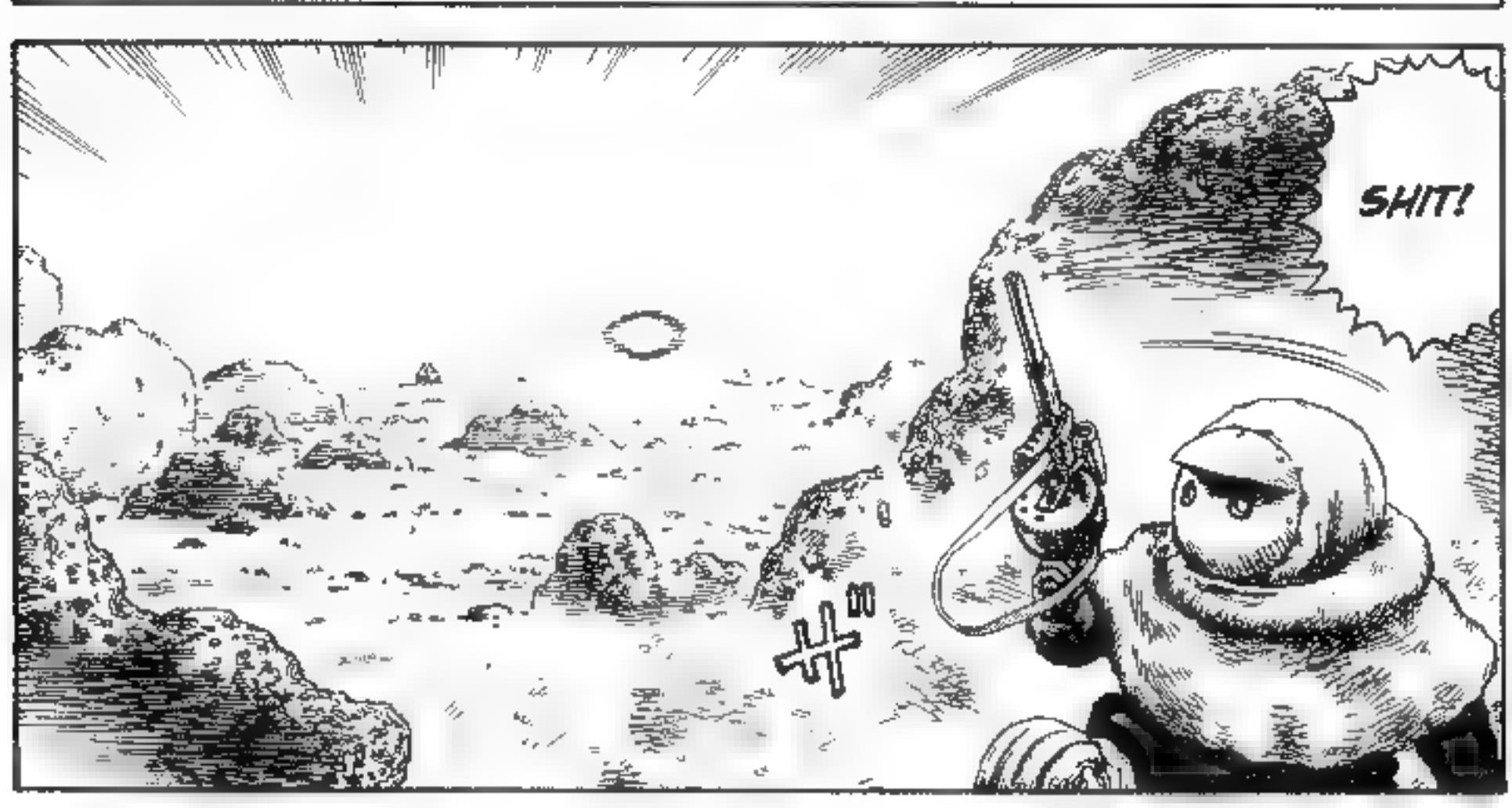
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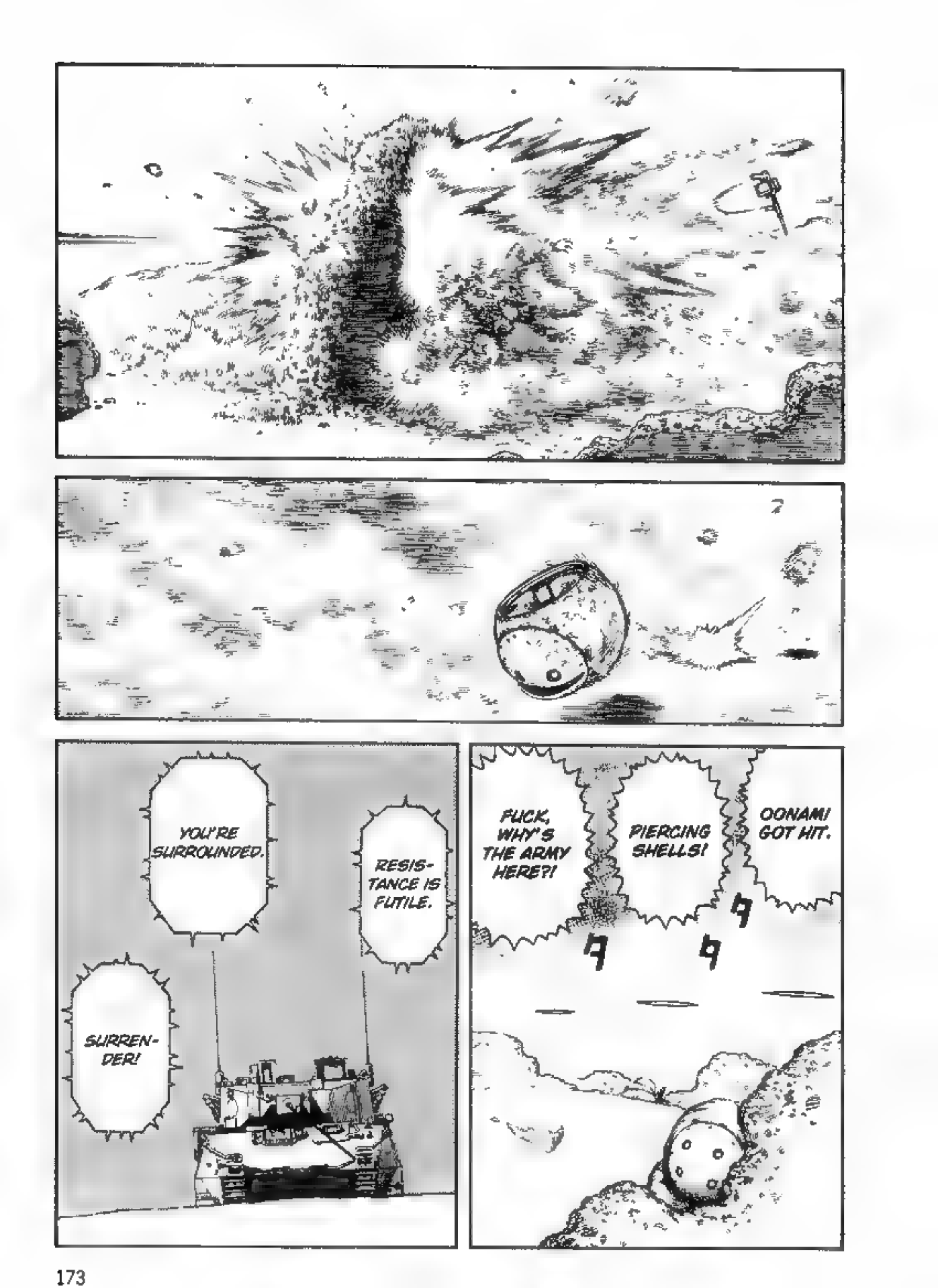
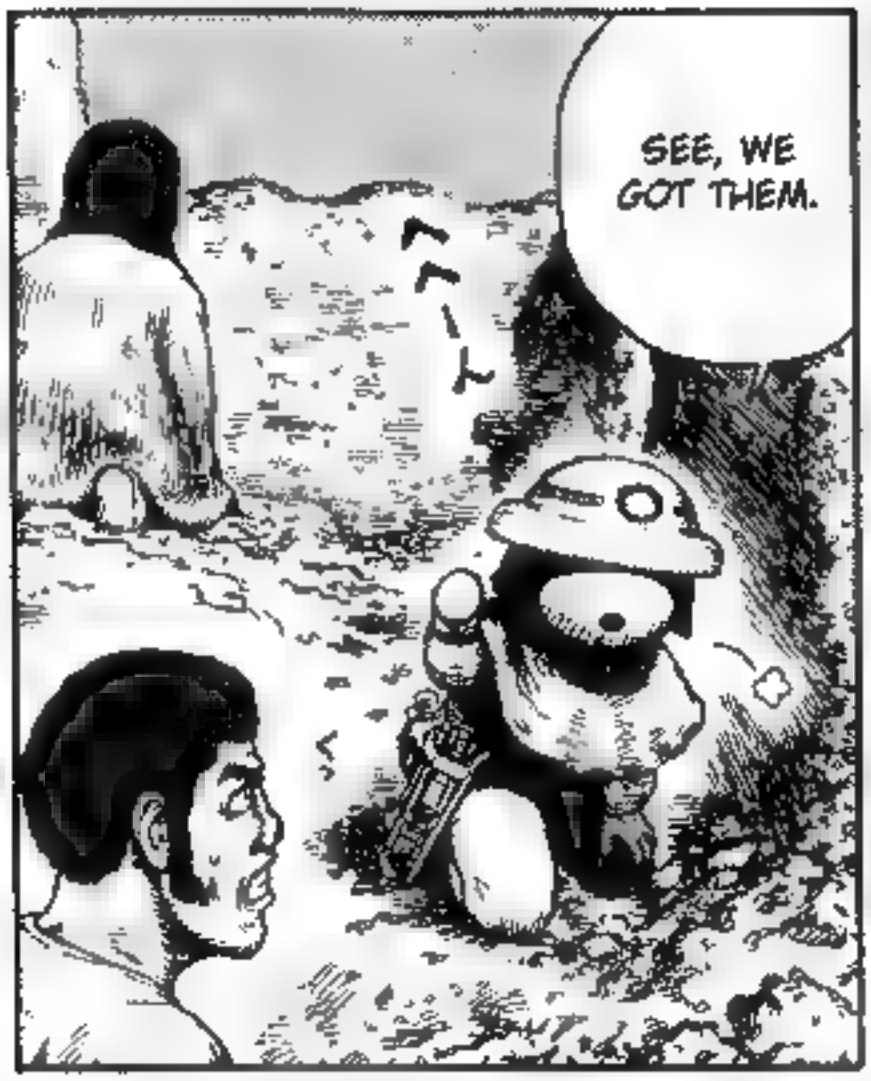
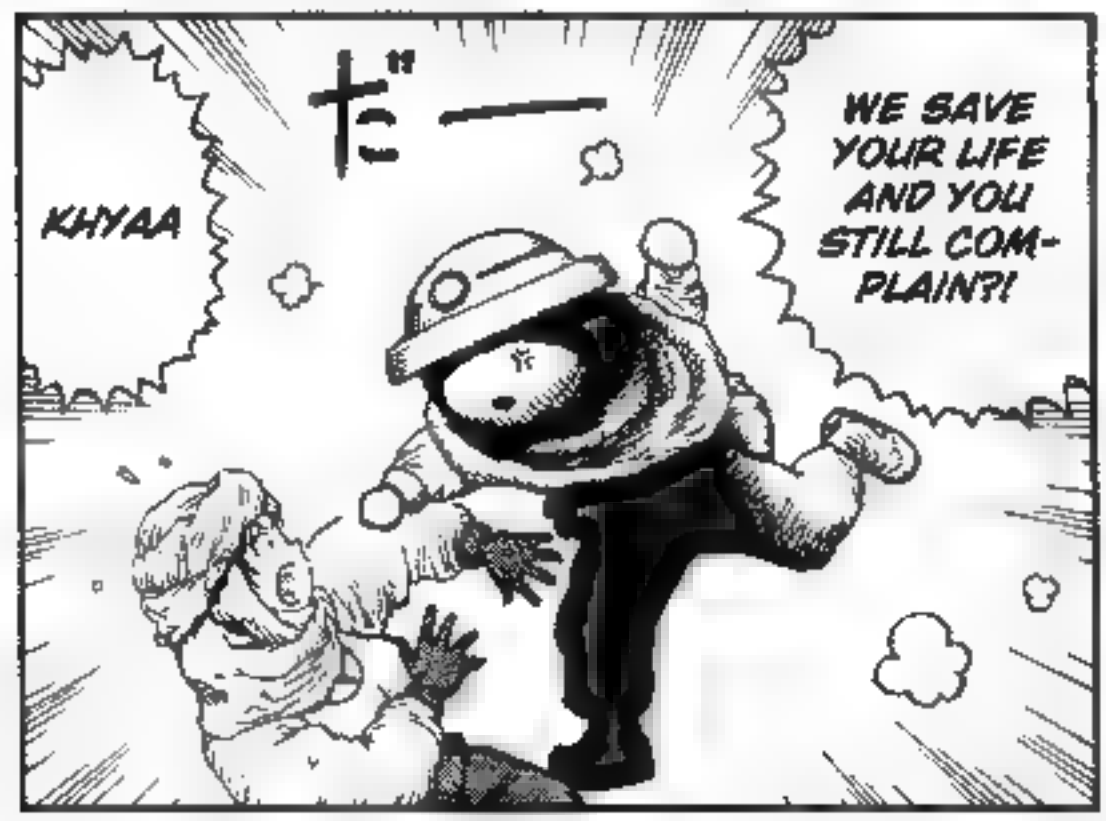

YOU'RE SURROUNDED.
RESIS-TANCE IS FUTILE.
SURREN-DER!
FUCK, WHY'S THE ARMY HERE?!
PIERCING SHELLS!
OONAMI GOT HIT.


SEE, WE GOT THEM.

IT'S JUST A MATTER OF MINUTES NOW.
HIHI!


KHYAA
WE SAVE YOUR LIFE AND YOU STILL COM-PLAIN?!

HAD THE ARMY BEEN LATE, WHAT WOULD HAVE BECOME OF US?
THAT WAS A CLOSE SHAVE.

BUT UH...
I'm the one it was given to.

GIVE ME THE MAGNUM.
HUH?

HEY! WE STAY PRUDENT.

YES, IT SUITS SEIJI WELL.

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You said it was a kid's pistol...

TO CHECK ON SOME-THING.

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WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

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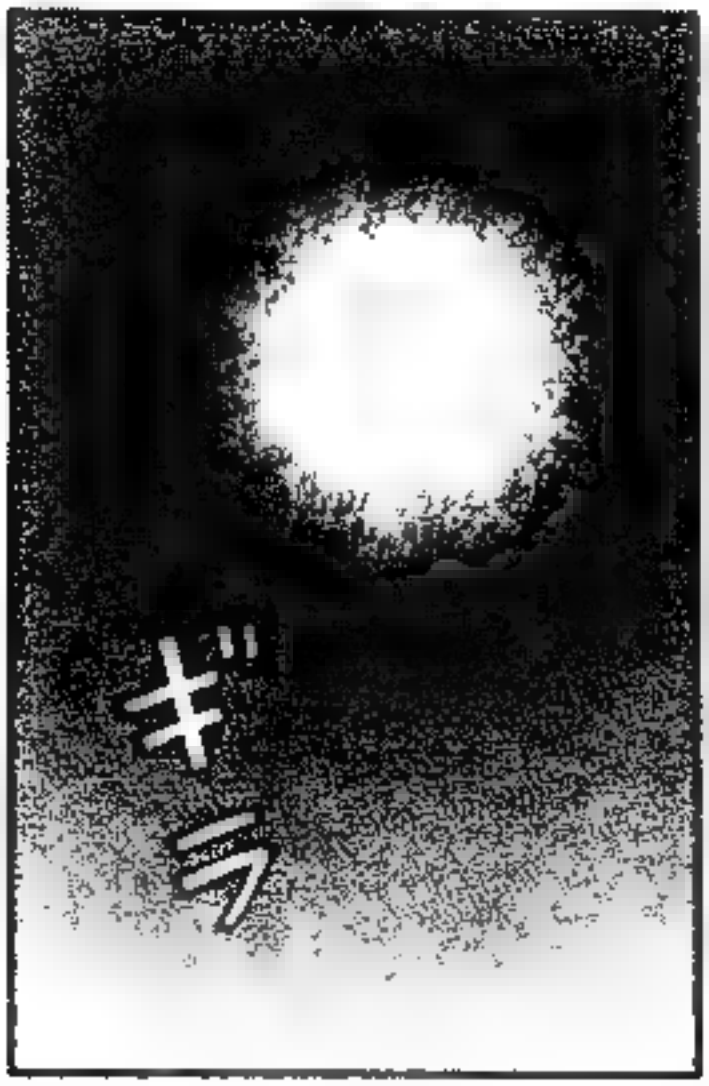
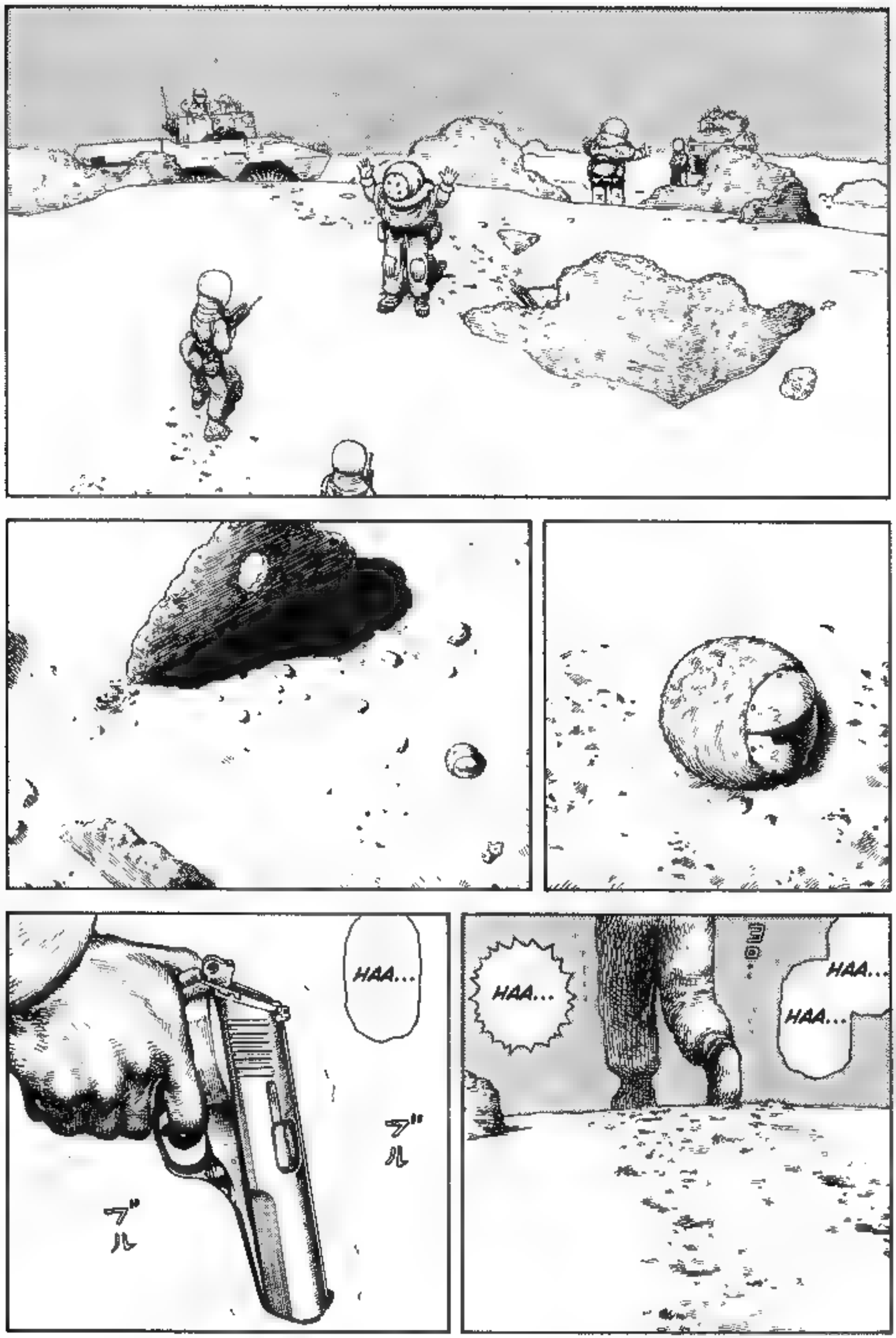


COM-PLETELY OVER.

DON'T GET OUT OF HERE UNTIL IT'S OVER.

OK, STAY ON YOUR GUARD.


HAA...
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YOU'RE TANIGAWA'S FRIEND?
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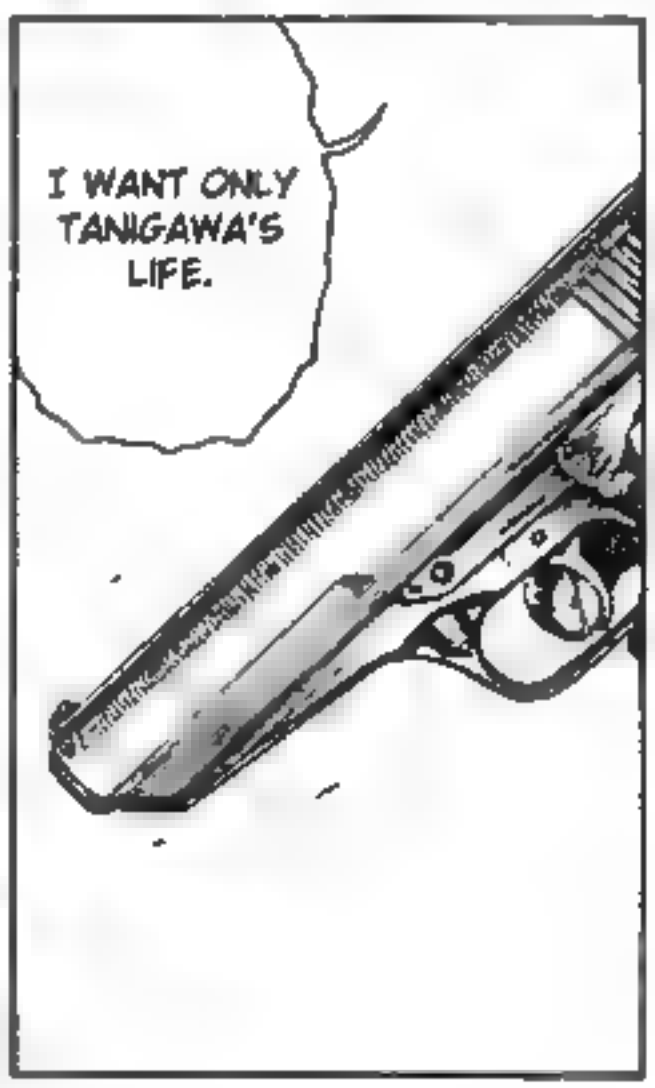
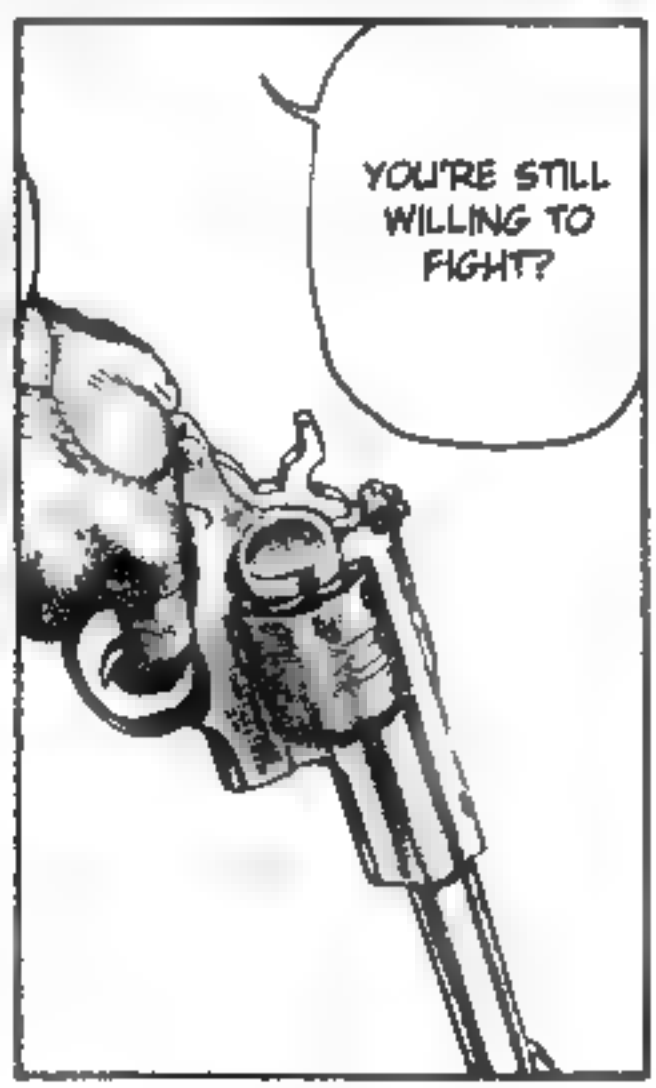
YOU'RE A TOUGH NUT TO CRACK.
STILL ALIVE?

AS FOR THIS WANKER, HE'S NOT MY FRIEND.
NO, I DEVISED THIS PLAN.
HOW DID HE DO? DID HE MAKE A DEAL WITH THE GOVERNMENT?

YOU'RE THE ONE WHO'S GOING TO DIE.


I WANT ONLY TANIGAWA'S LIFE.


YOU'RE STILL WILLING TO FIGHT?

WHO ARE YOU?

A MERCENARY.

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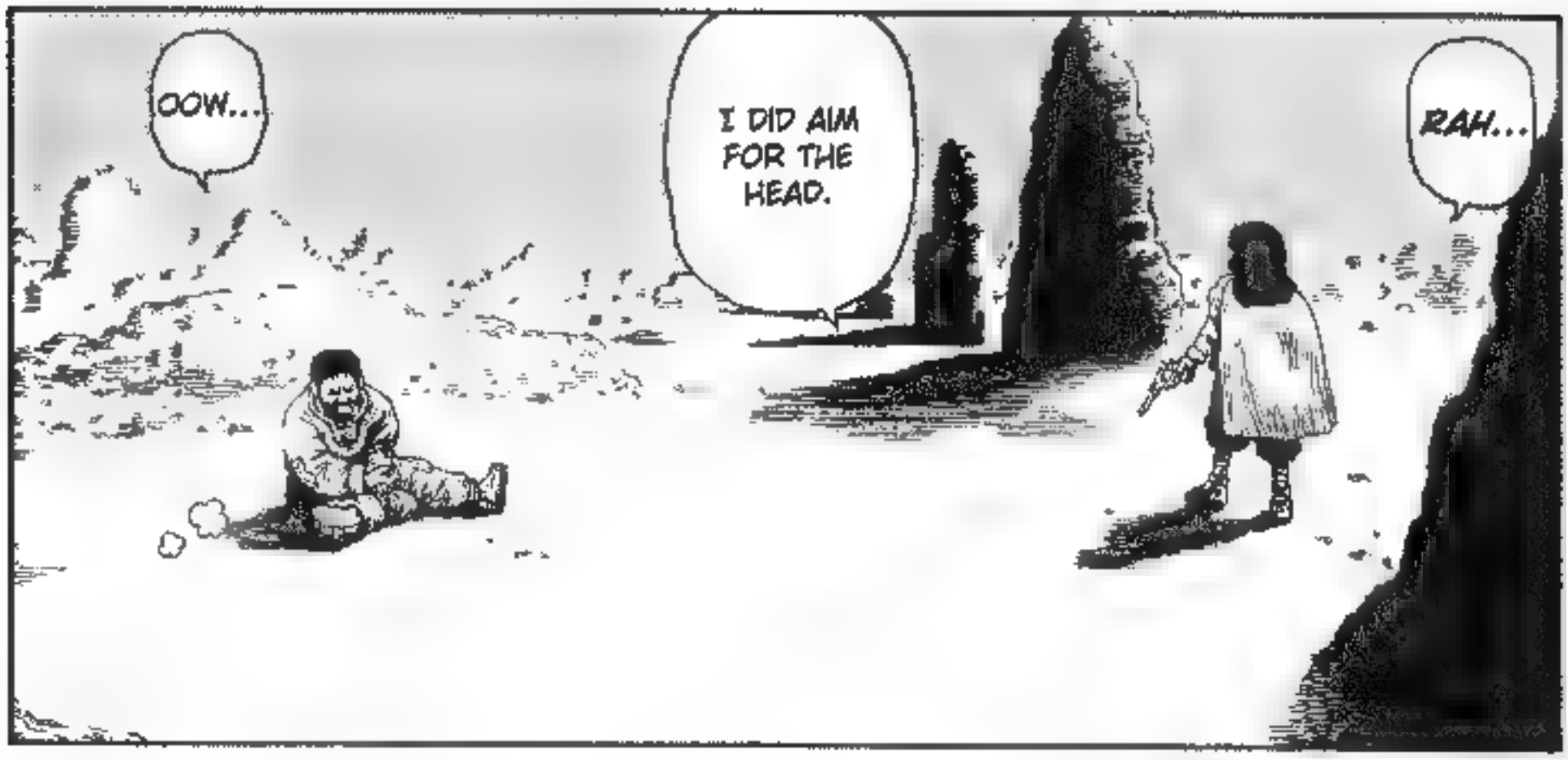
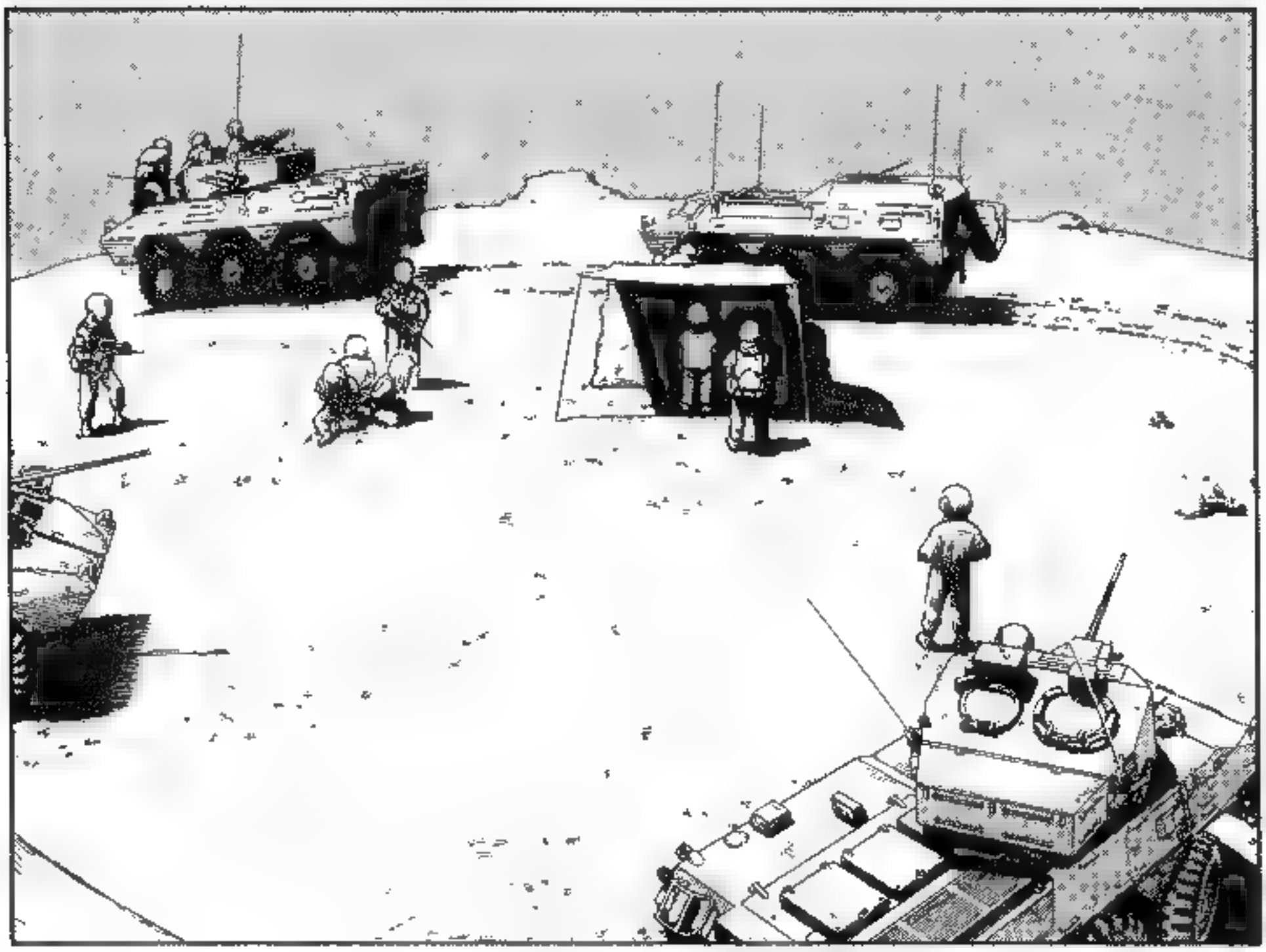

OOW...
I DID AIM FOR THE HEAD.
RAH...

HAD YOU BEEN IN GOOD SHAPE, YOU COULD HAVE KILLED ME.
TOO BAD.

FUCK YOU!

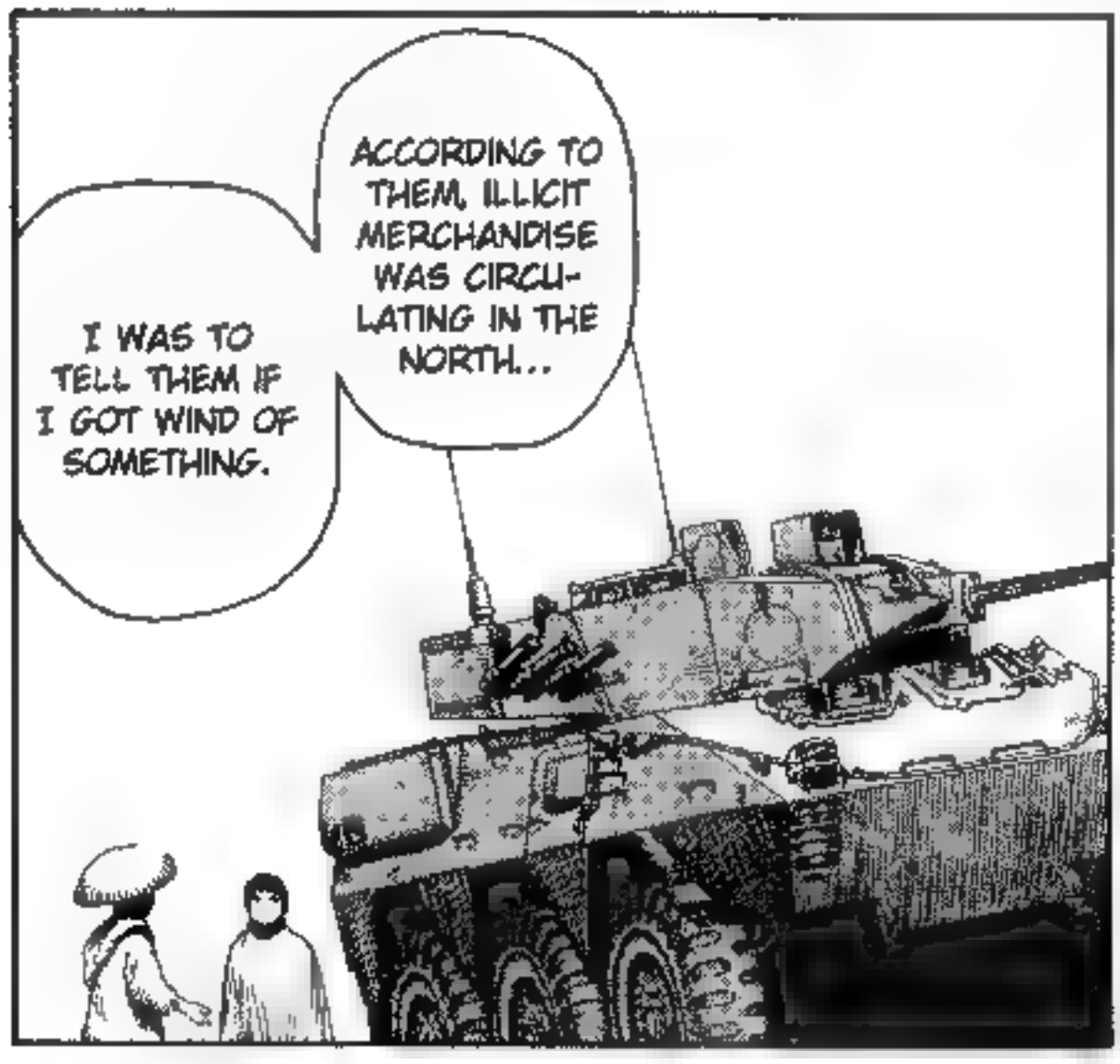
ELSE, I WOULDN'T HAVE STOOD A CHANCE.
YOU LOOK LIKE A COCKROACH THAT'S ABOUT TO DIE.

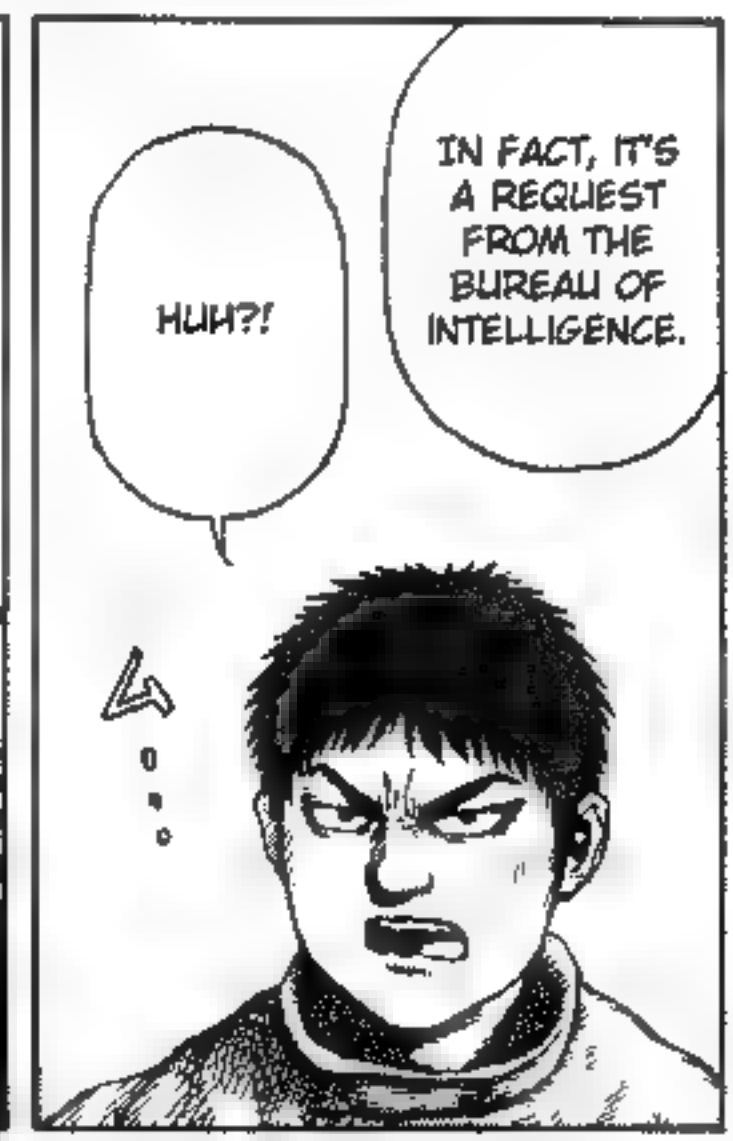


OOH, YOU GOT THROUGH IT ALIVE.

INSPEC-TOR! ♡

THANKS FOR YOUR HELP.
THAT'S NOTH-ING.
That's so like you
YOU ARRIVED ONE DAY EARLIER THAN EXPECTED.


I WAS TO TELL THEM IF I GOT WIND OF SOMETHING.
ACCORDING TO THEM, ILLICIT MERCHANDISE WAS CIRCU-LATING IN THE NORTH...


HUH?!
IN FACT, IT'S A REQUEST FROM THE BUREAU OF INTELLIGENCE.

BUT NOT FROM THEM.
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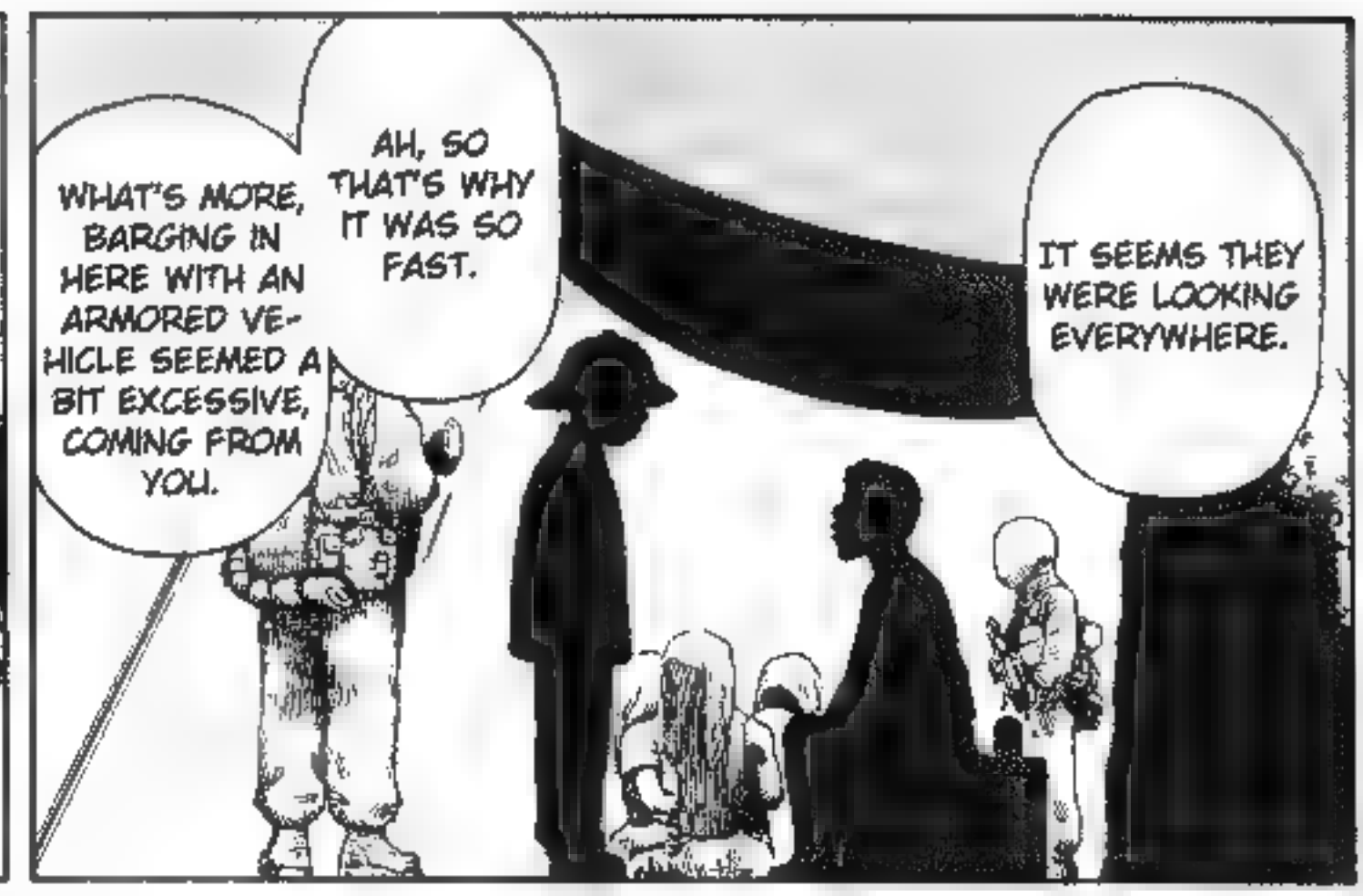
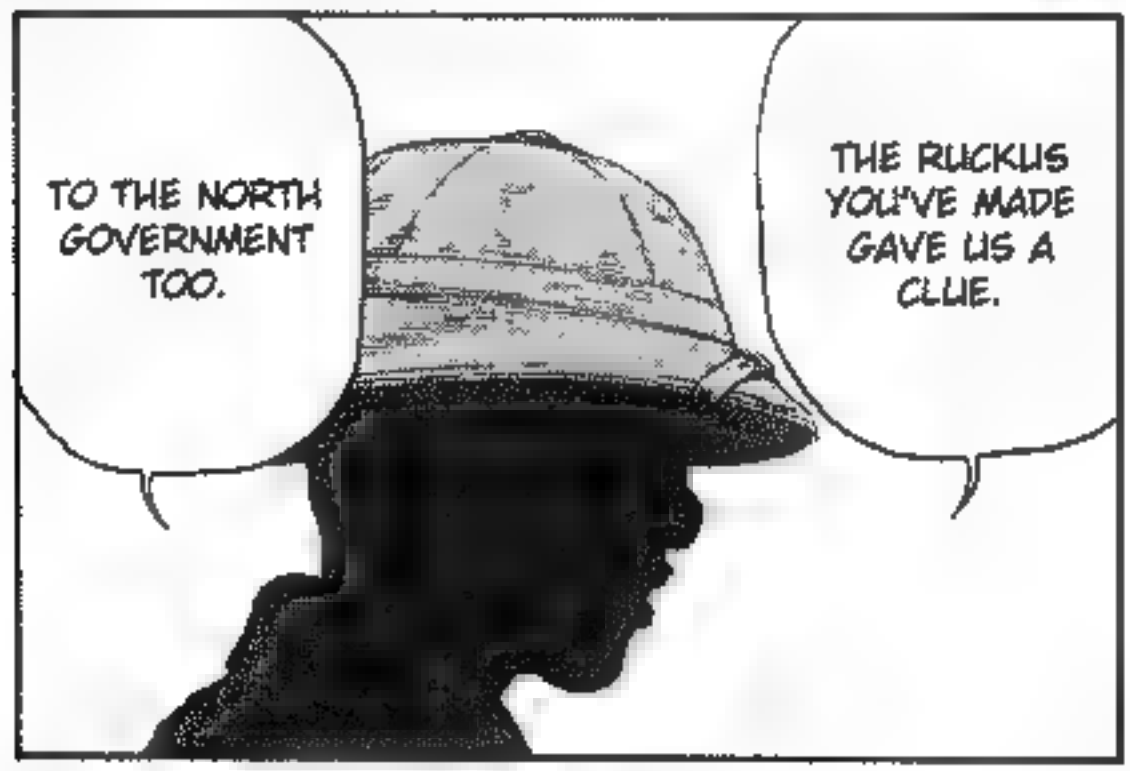
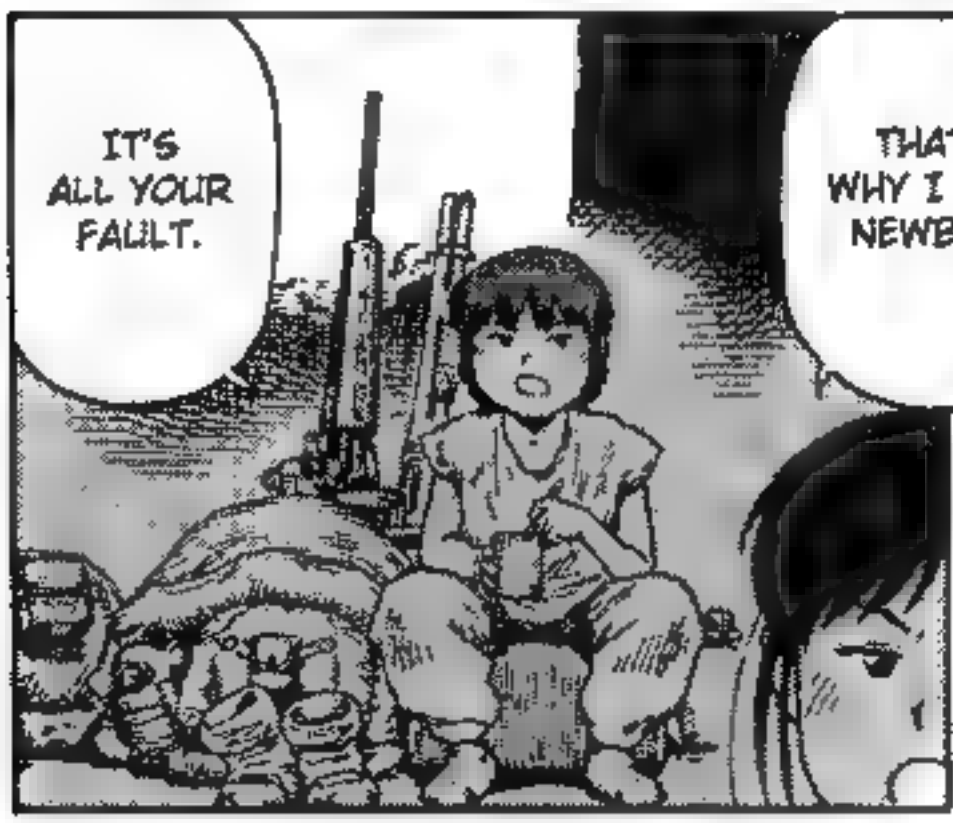

WHAT'S MORE, BARGING IN HERE WITH AN ARMORED VEHICLE SEEMED A BIT EXCESSIVE, COMING FROM YOU.
AH, SO THAT'S WHY IT WAS SO FAST.
IT SEEMS THEY WERE LOOKING EVERYWHERE.


TO THE NORTH GOVERNMENT TOO.
THE RUCKUS YOU'VE MADE GAVE US A CLUE.

IS THE COMPANY...

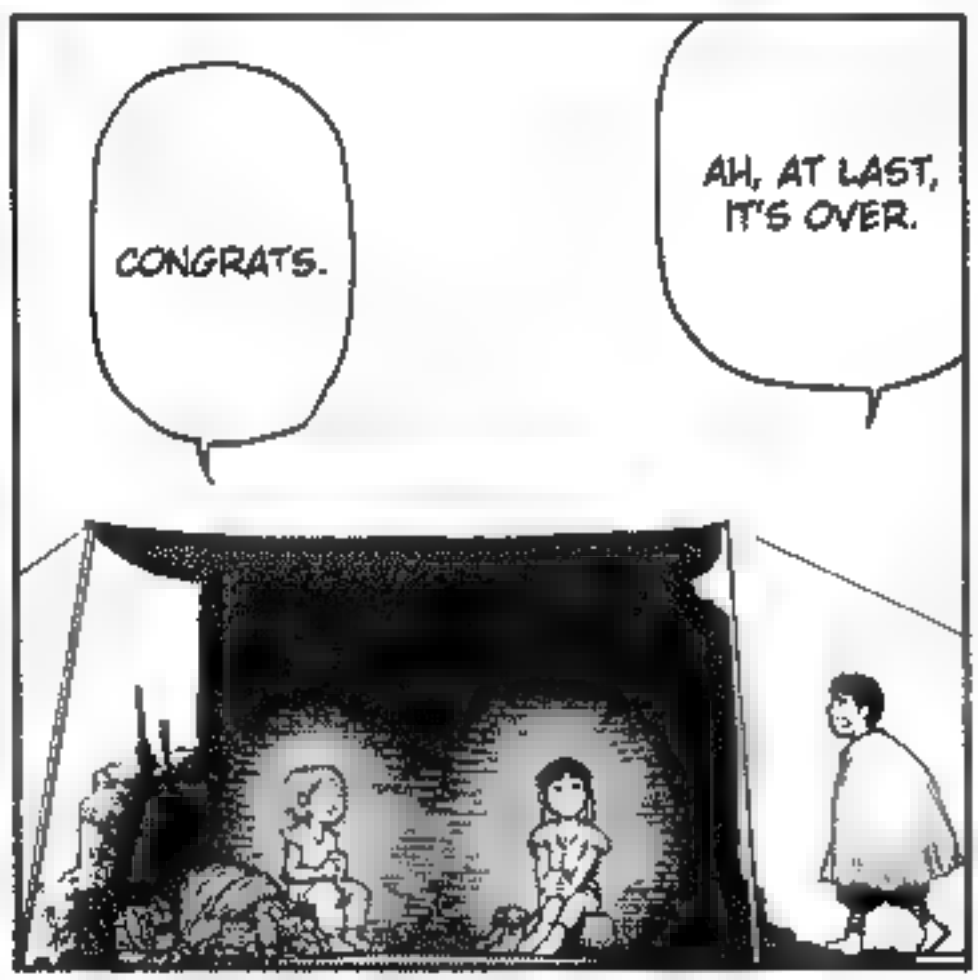
A THOUSAND EMPLOYEES AND THEIR FAMILIES WILL END UP IN THE DESERT.
THE BOARD OF KASEI UZUMAKI WILL BE CONDEMNED TO DEATH FOR TREASON.
IT'S... MY FAULT.

THE COMPANY
WANTED TO FIRE ME...


IT'S ALL YOUR FAULT.
THAT'S WHY I HATE NEWBIES.

THIS AIRHEAD CHARGED IN WITHOUT THINKING.

JUNKO ASAGIRI!


CONGRATS.
AH, AT LAST, IT'S OVER.

AH...

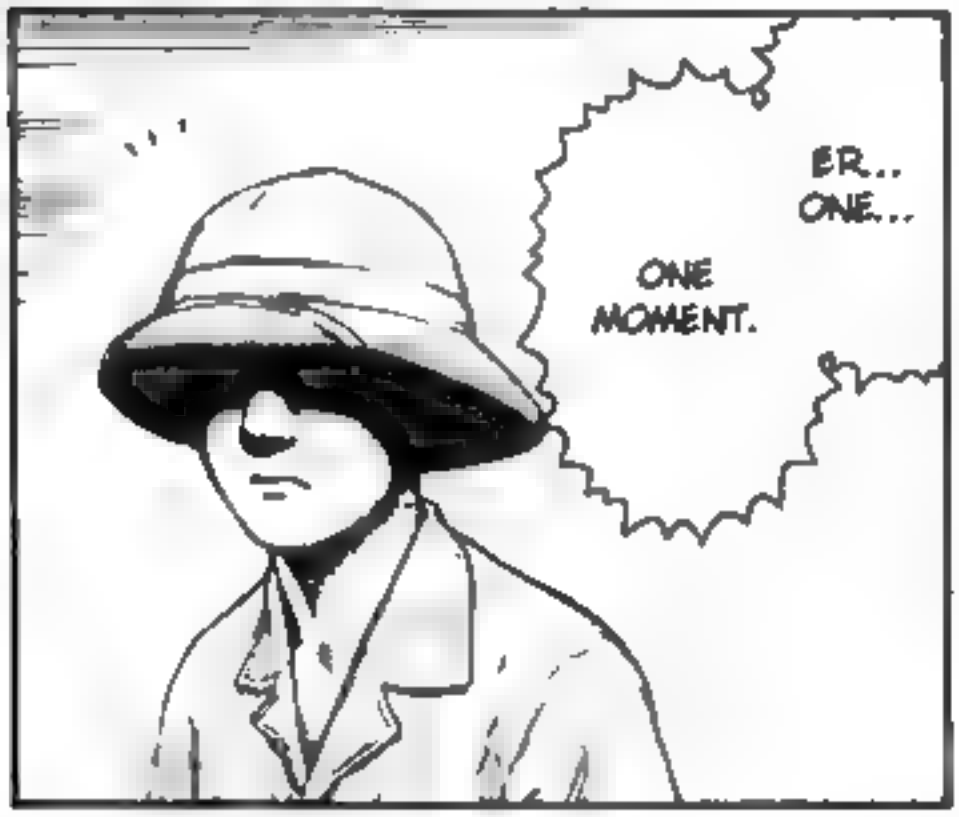
I'D LIKE TO QUESTION YOU TOO.

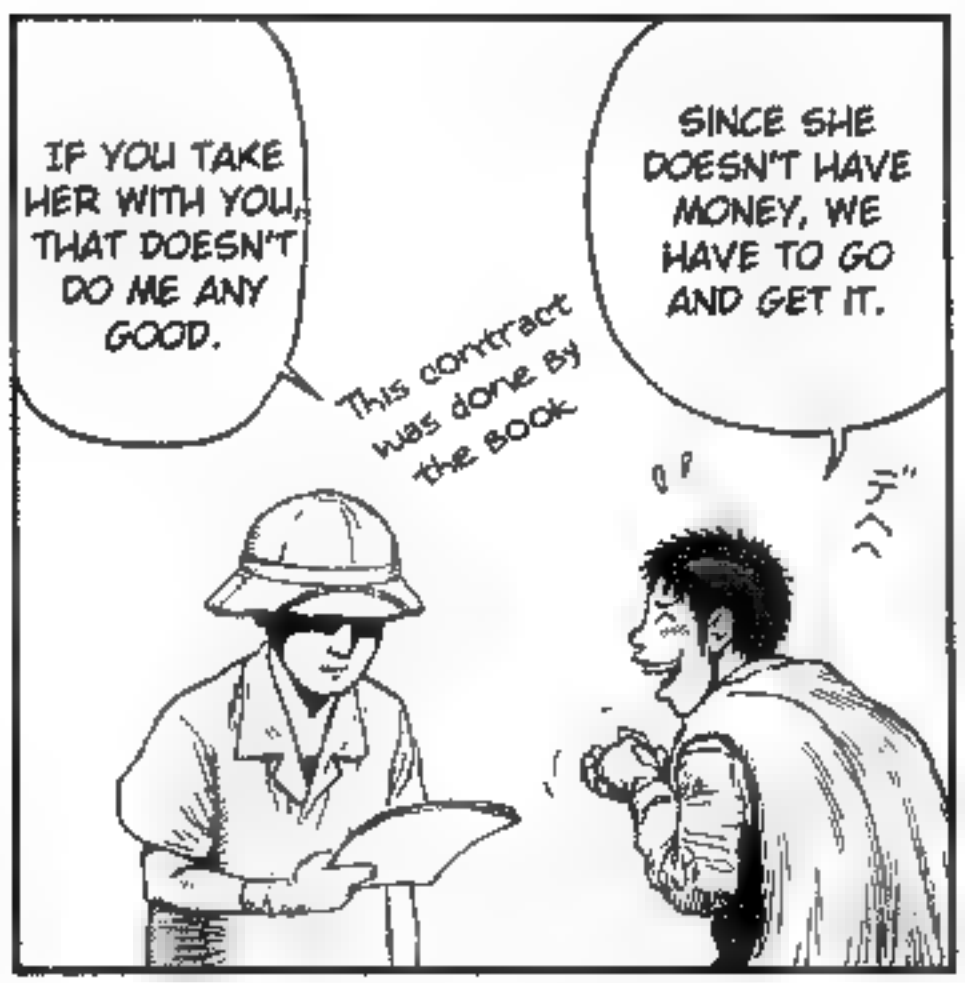
I JUST WANT YOUR COOPERATION.

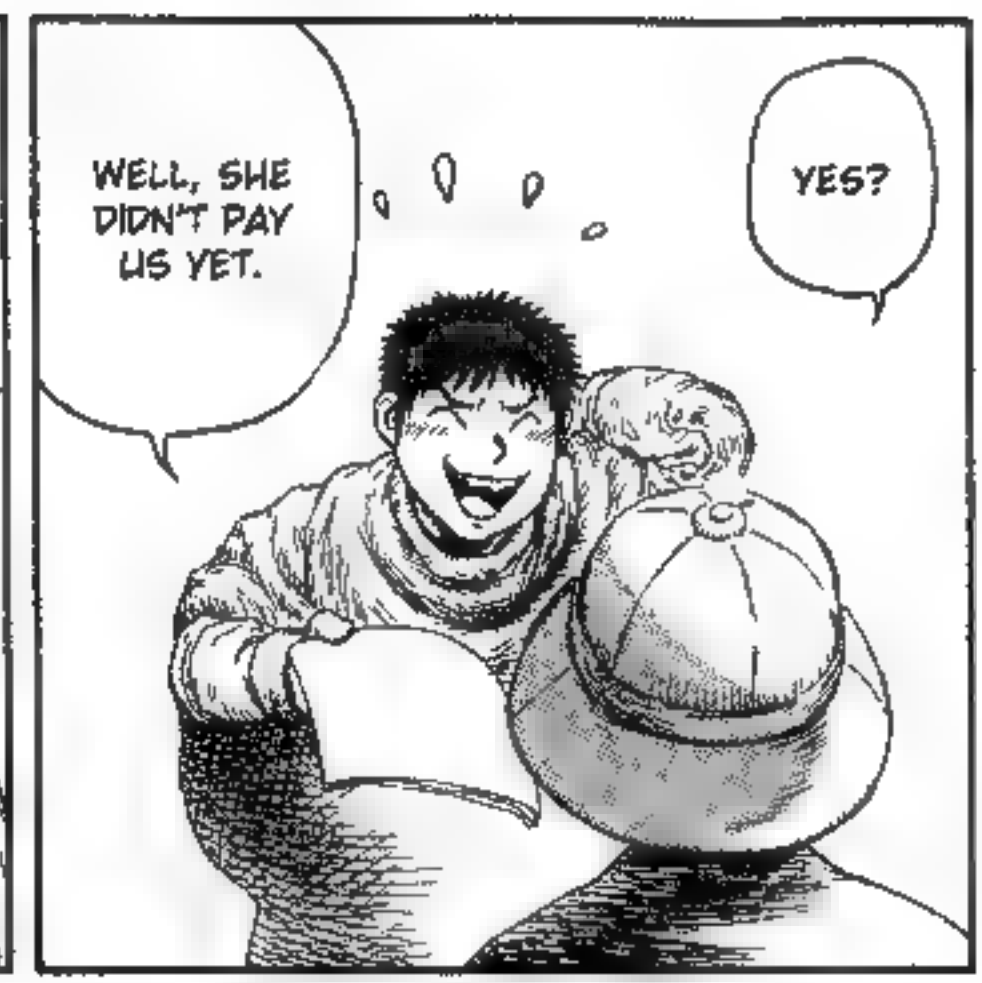
OH, I DON'T WANT TO ARREST YOU.

I'M NOT DOING ANYTHING THAT COULD HARM THE WEST GOVERNMENT.

IT SEEMS YOU WERE DOING INTERESTING THINGS WITH THE NORTH.




IF YOU TAKE HER WITH YOU, THAT DOESN'T DO ME ANY GOOD.
This contract was done By the Book
SINCE SHE DOESN'T HAVE MONEY, WE HAVE TO GO AND GET IT.


WELL, SHE DIDN'T PAY US YET.
YES?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!
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HEY!
CALM DOWN, YOU IMBECILE!
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IS THAT CLEAR?
FUCK...

NOTHING HAPPENED.
AND YOU DIDN'T TAKE ANY JOB.

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HELL NO!
I DON'T WANT TO WORK FOR THIS GIRL ANYMORE!
RAAAAAH!

WE MADE EFFORTS DURING THREE DAYS, TO WHAT END?
THEY TOOK EVERY-THING...
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His bullet-breasted girl
My magnum

I HOPE THAT GIRL WON'T TALK TOO MUCH.
SHE KNOWS TOO MANY COMPRO-MISING STUFF ABOUT US.
OH!
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THE INTELLIGENCE STEPPING IN... IT'S CRAZY...
THE GOVERNMENT ISN'T JOKING FOR SURE.

LET'S GO HOME...
HUH?
MASTER?

THE MOOD WAS GLOOMY, AND IT WASN'T FORESHADOWING ANYTHING GOOD...
DURING THE JOURNEY BACK, HE DIDN'T SAY A WORD.

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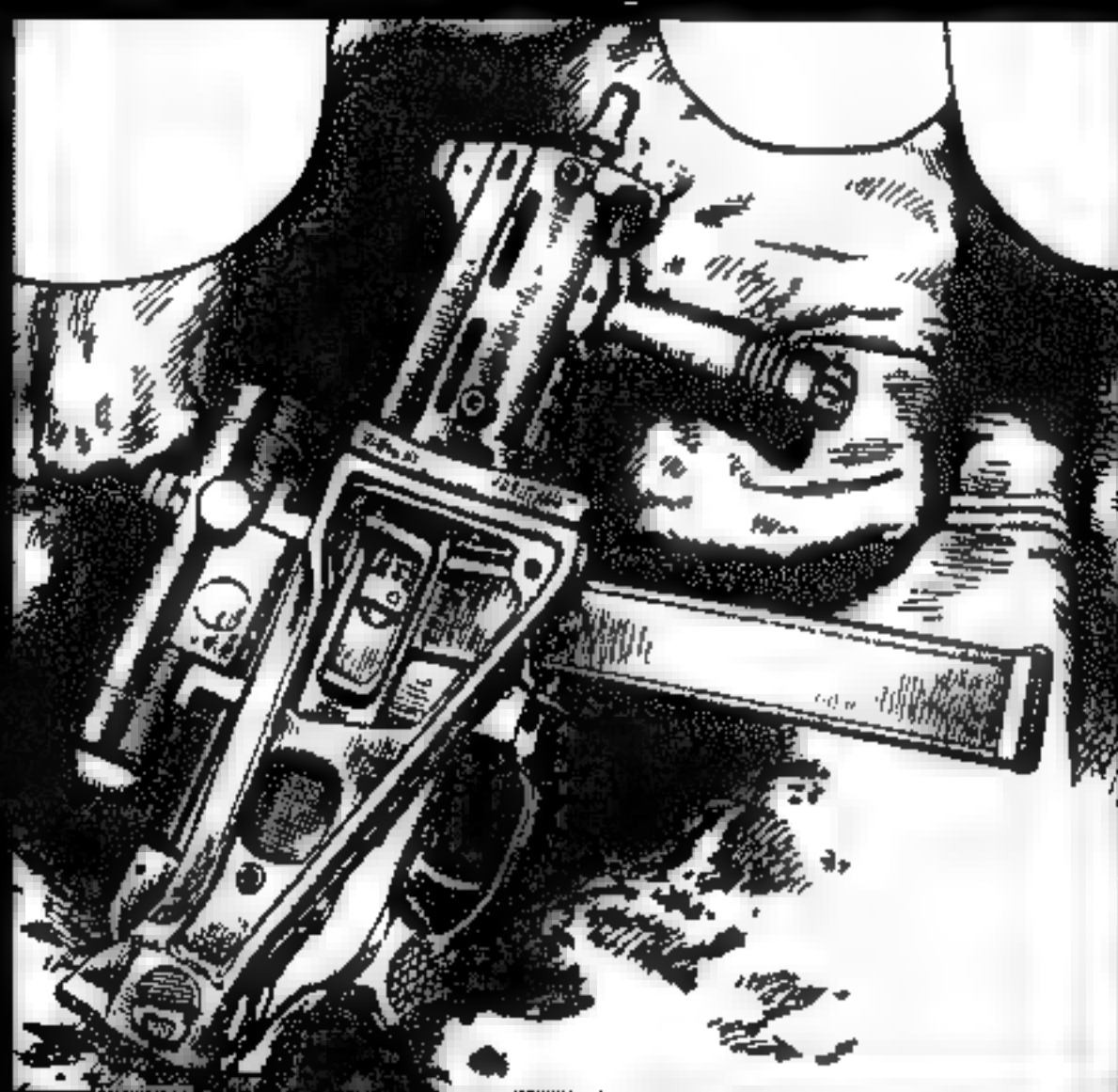
SUNABO-ZU'S GUN COLLECTION 7

The G36E assault rifle featured in this volume is the last model produced by Heckler & Koch. However, they stopped selling the roller back system in favor of gas-operated reloading. These days, even the bull-pup system isn't fashionable. Of course, its efficiency is unmatched. It's a remarkable weapon (for the desert).

H&K UMP45 (Germany)

Total length:	690 mm (grip fo.ded 450 mm)	Caliber:	45ACP
Barrel length:		Mechanism:	Blowback
Weight:	2000 g	Rifling:	—



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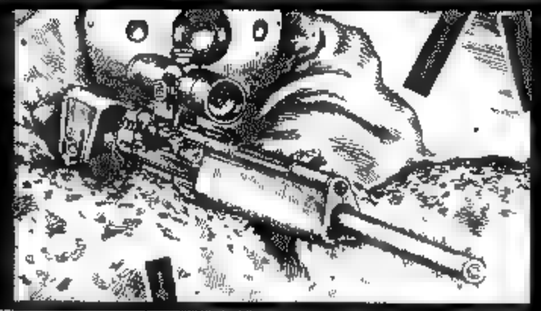
H&K PSG-1 (Germany)

Total length:	1220 – 1270 mm	Caliber:	7.65 mm x 51
Barrel length:	650 mm	Mechanism:	Roller delayed blowback
Weight:	8000 g	Rifling:	Polygonal, 4 grooves to the right



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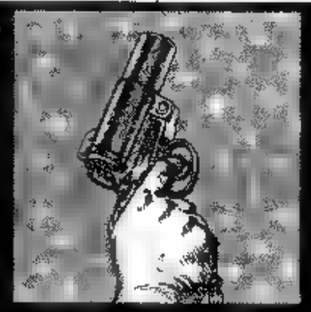
Flare Gun (Japan)

Total length:	210 mm	Caliber:	35 mm
Barrel length:		Mechanism:	Break action
Weight:	1145 g	Rifling:	



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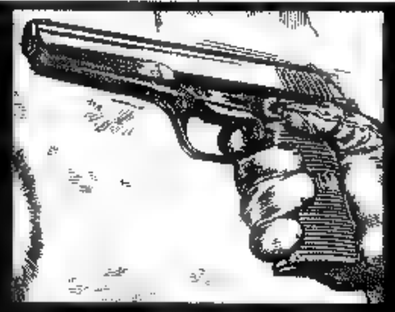
CZ 52 (Czechoslovakia)

Total length:	209 mm	Caliber:	7.62 mm x 25
Barrel length:	120 mm	Mechanism:	Roller block
Weight:	900 g	Rifling:	4 grooves to the right



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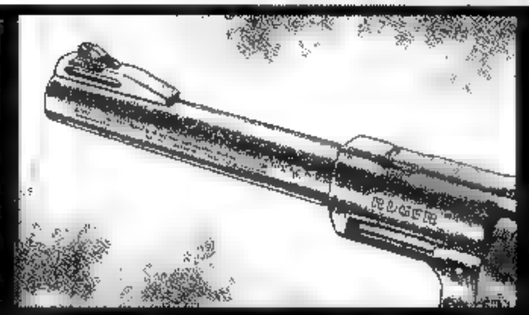
Ruger Super ReƏHawk (USA)

Total length:	338 mm	Caliber:	45 Colt
Barrel length:	190 mm	Mechanism:	Simple/Double action
Weight:	1510 g	Rifling:	6 grooves to the right



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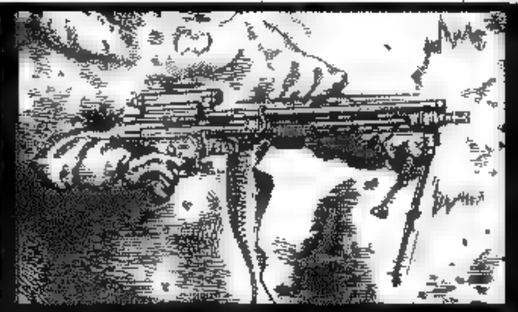
H&K GR9C (Germany)

Total length:	1030 mm	Caliber:	5.56 mm x 45
Barrel length:	450 mm	Mechanism:	Roller delayed blowback
Weight:	8740 g	Rifling:	6 grooves to the right



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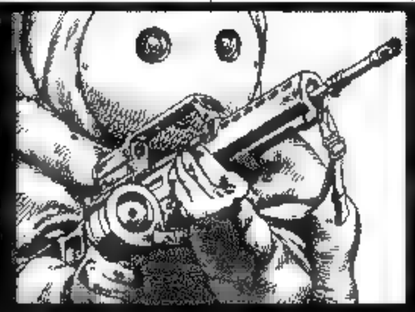
H&K G36E (Germany)

Total length:	990 mm (folded : 758 mm)	Caliber:	5.56 mm x 45
Barrel length:	480 mm	Mechanism:	Semi automatic gas operated
Weight:	3300 g	Rifling:	6 grooves to the right



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DESCRIPTION

① "Fisheye" helmet model n°1 from Kasei Uzumaki (equipped with a radio, a noise sensor, binoculars, nightvision system and heat detectors).

② Breast size : at least a 105D cup.
Her most fearsome weapon. To put it even more forward, her suit has been tailor-made (it brings her tits closer and pushes them up). Her only weakness : her back is hurting because of her chest's weight. She also experiences difficulties seeing her feet and consequently has trouble running and falls more often.

③ Side pockets.
To carry anti-UV creams, cosmetics, a lighter, pocket tools, etc. In the Kanto desert, one has her skin quickly tanned by the sun. For her who uses every feminine appeal possible, it's her worst enemy, synonymous of skin cancer, freckles and skin stains. Whatever the era, one should keep her skin white (no woman in the desert has white skin. It has become a beauty criteria).

④ Shotgun (leg protection)
Reinforcements for the knees and tibias plus a small and a big pocket (to carry a small self defence gun, the Modelo Expresso 6.35 cal., two magazines of 8 rounds, some supplies and a bunch of little things). The word "shotgun" comes from the cowboys' leather leggings.

⑤ Desert boots, "fisheye" technology from Kasei Uzumaki.

⑥ Arms protections.
Reinforcements for the elbows plus a small pocket (essentially to carry medicines, but she also puts protection equipments in it).

⑦ Personnal backpack (to put stuff for desert survival, like a first aid kit, supplies, etc.).

⑧ Tiger Shark knife with a 22,5 cm blade.

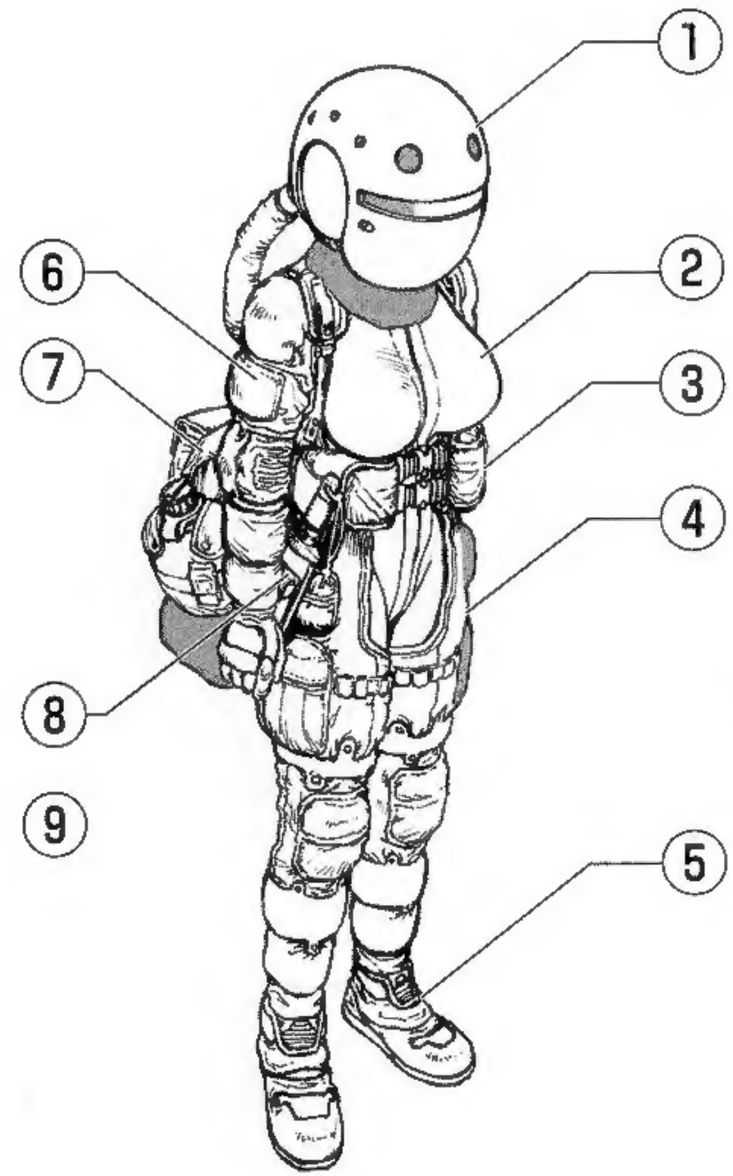
⑨ Not visible equipment.
A pocket knife, throwing knives, etc.
The patented Kasei Uzumaki's air conditioner ("fisheye" serie). This model connects the whole head. Blows cold or temperate air to avoid molds).

Junko Asagiri's equipment come for a large part from Kasei Uzumaki. You can easily guess that everything was given to her as a special treatment. Yet, the Uzumaki company is going to get liquidated because of her. The maintenance of her equipment is going to be difficult in the future.

Sunabozu's gear 7

The equipment of Sunabo-zu

Junko Asigiri's gear



This is the gear of Junko Asigiri, the desert lioness. By and large, her outfit is similar to that of Sunabo-Zu. However, since it wasn't designed for combat, part of it is dedicated to the equipment for survival in the desert. This outfit is made for her. Her goal being to make a lot of profit without taking risks, she uses others to fight in her place.

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